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There will be small welcome for the Red Dean in Canada

Saanich Raises 1950 Tax Rate In School Zones

Inner District Up 4.5 Mills, Outer Region 2.4 Higher

Saanich Council late last night struck the 1950 tax rate calling for increases in both school districts.

In School District 61 the mill rate will be 43.5 mills, a 4.5-mill increase over last year, and in District 63 the rate will be 43.45 mills, a boost of 2.45 mills over 1949. Debt rate is 3.2 mills.

Since presentation of the preliminary budget two weeks ago, the council managed to slash 8 mills from the original rate. General rate now stands at 18.84 mills and School District 61 school rate is 22.76 and District 63 21.71 mills. The 3.1 cent rate arises from the municipality's road-building project approved last year by the ratepayers.

Final tabulation of all budget items were not available.

A move by Councillors William C. Kersey and Sydney Pickles to have the taxable assessment on improvements increased from 55 to 60 per cent received no support. They felt that the high administration costs in Saanich were coming from wages most of the improvements were estimated. Councillor George Austin stated that 55 per cent is high enough.

On the revenue side of the estimates the council raised the estimated receipts from poll tax from $9,500 to $5,000, and motor vehicle licences from $48,000 to $50,000.

To carry out the proposed reassessment of the municipality, council decided to use $5,000 from this year's police court fines. The money will be used to hire the necessary men to start the reassessment.

Good news for motorists was the council's decision to spend $15,000 to repair the Winter-damaged Shelbourne Street. The work will include seal-coating and ditching as well as repatling. Work is expected to start soon. D. Dawson, municipal engineer, said Shelbourne Street really needs raising from 17 to 18 inches, but Councillor Austin believed the solution was keeping the ditches cleaned.

SEEK SURVEY

Council passed a motion asking the Provincial Government to make a survey of Saanich roads with a view to taking over the maintenance of some as secondary roads. Councillor E. P. Cummins stated the Goldenberg Report recommended such action.

A delegation from the areas of Blenkinsop, Sparfield, Swan Lake and Mayfield asked the council to carry out drainage work from general revenue.

Smoke-Eaters Scale Blazing Building

—Colonist Photo

Dozens of hose lines were laid by almost entire city fire-fighting force who fought three-alarm blaze here. Firemen carry heavy 2½-inch hose up ladder on Johnson Street side of factory to get to roof. Damage was estimated at $100,000.

Hard-pressed firemen ran ladders up three sides of Victoria Box and Paper Co. plant yesterday to conquer blaze that raged in three-story plant for three hours. Here a fireman pauses at top of ladder in alley to don gas mask before entering smoke-filled building

Three-Alarm Fire Rips Paper Plant

Several Firemen Overcome, Some Cut by Flying Glass

By ARNIE MYERS

A three-alarm fire yesterday ripped through the Victoria Box & Paper Company, 500 block Johnson Street, causing damage estimated at $100,000.

Nearly the entire city fire department fought the blaze for three hours before gaining control.

Several firemen were temporarily overcome by smoke and a few suffered cuts from flying glass. One spectator was hospitalized for injuries sustained when he stumbled over a fire-hose.

MACHINES DAMAGED

Several heavy machines were damaged when the ground floor of the factory collapsed. Extensive smoke and water damage was done to the building and stock.

Louis Chiken, managing director of the firm, said he was unable to place a figure on the damage, but said it was "beyond a joke."

Fire Chief Robert T. Brindle said only that the damage was "extensive."

Unofficial estimates set the loss at between $100,000 and $150,000.

INSURANCE CARRIED

Mr. Chiken said the plant, equipment and stock were worth a total of $350,000. He said full insurance was carried.

Firemen said an entire new floor would be necessary. A section of the floor collapsed about 8:30 after the blaze, which started in the basement, ate through four-inch planks and three-by-15-inch beams.

Three platen presses were damaged when they crashed through into the basement. When the smoke cleared, a heavy cutting machine listed at a crazy angle on the buckled floor.

The fire was confined to the north basement of the building, which extends from Johnson Street to Yates.

Firemen were hampered by the fact that there is only one entrance to the basement. A new entrance was to have been built, but was washed out by the construction shutdown.

Firemen had to beat out window grills of half-inch iron bars with sledge-hammers and crowbars to get into the factory. They were able to work only a few minutes at a time in the cloude of dense smoke from burning paper and oil.

The fire was discovered by 19-year-old warehouseman George Blair, 144 Clarence Street, at 7:30 p.m.

"I was going down in the basement to get some excelsior when I saw the glow of the flames, he said. "I dashed back upstairs shouting 'Fire, fire!'"

Another employee, Peter Fowlie, sounded the alarm bell, and the 23 employees in the plant were safely evacuated.

"Then Don Zenelli took the elevator up from the basement so the flames couldn't get up," Blair continued. "Fowlie and Pat Moon and I went back down with hand extinguishers, but we couldn't get near the blaze."

When the fire department arrived, Blair led the first firemen down into the basement. "I had to lead him along by the hand, the smoke was so thick," he said.

Blair's arms were slightly singed in his attempt to fight the blaze.

The first alarm brought two pump trucks and a service truck from No. 1 Fire Hall. About 7:15 a second alarm brought more men and equipment from No. 2 Hall. The third alarm a short time later called a truck and men from the Burnside hall.

All available firemen, including off-shift men, were thrown into the fight.

Hose lines were laid on Johnson and Government Streets, and a line laid on Yates Street was carried over the roof of the three-story brick-and-concrete building to get at the blaze.

Heavy clouds of smoke hung over the city centre for hours. A crowd of hundreds gathered on Johnson Street, and traffic was tied up until nearly 9 p.m.

One smashed fireman dragged himself out of the smoke-filled basement and were instantly swallowed by the heavy smoke. The collapse of the floor sided them in their fight to get at the flames.

It was 4 20 before departmental officials could say, "We've got it licked." Within another 30 minutes the fire was almost completely out.

Only serious casualty of the fire was Robert Postle, 1120 Blanshard Street, who tripped over a hose line on Government Street. Police rushed him to Royal Jubilee Hospital for treatment for a cut to the head and bruises. His condition is "good."

GEORGE BLAIR

PETER FOWLIE

Rebuilt Airport Highway Promised by Next Year

A two-year program has been laid out for complete reconstruction of the Victoria-Patricia Bay Highway by the end of next Summer, Works Minister K. C. Carson said yesterday on his return from Ottawa, where he signed the Trans-Canada Highway agreement on behalf of British Columbia.

Half the estimated $800,000 cost of the Patricia Bay road will be paid by the Federal Governments.

START THIS YEAR

Work will be started this year at the Health Centre, just south of Royal Oak. Details of route changes have still to be approved by Ottawa. Tentatively, however, the road will run from the Health Centre to Royal Oak Burial Park, by-passing the bottleneck at the junction of the East and West Saanich Roads. It will pass through the former Hilbert Estate, east of the existing highway at Royal Oak.

Further up, the road will pass to the east side of the Dominion Experimental Farm at Saanichton and follow the old C.N.R. right-of-way toward Sidney. Because of possible extension of runways at Patricia Bay Airport, final details of plans for northerly section have not been completed.

Many curves and winding stretches will be eliminated and the road constructed at a uniform 24-foot width.

JUBILANT OVER TRENS

Mr. Carson returned to his office obviously jubilant that the Trans-Canada agreement was signed and that British Columbia had won concessions which take into account British Columbia's rugged terrain.

The agreement provides that Ottawa will pay half the cost of the highway. This means that Ottawa will pour an estimated $36,000,000 into this Province for roads by the end of 1956, when the work is supposed to be completed.

In addition, Ottawa pays half the cost of sections which this Province has already built and which meet Federal standards. It's estimated British Columbia will receive another $6,000,000 from this source.

The Trans-Canada will extend over 715 miles, from Victoria to Nanaimo, from Vancouver up the Fraser Valley and through the Fraser Canyon, along the Big Bend route to the Alberta border.

It will be 24 feet wide, with a 10-ft. right of way and 10-foot shoulders, except where mountainous terrain and big rock cuts make the wide shoulder impractical. Bridges will be 27 feet wide and again there is an exception. Where cost is prohibitive, the width will be reduced to 24 feet.

Except for certain sections in the Fraser Canyon, plans specify that a motorist must be able to see 400 feet ahead at any point.

Mr. Carson said first tenders for continuing rebuilding of the Fraser Canyon section will be called within a month.

Meanwhile the department is revising its construction program, which, according to present plans, will see $120,000,000 spent for construction and paving in the next seven years. Included is approximately $54,000,000 for the Trans-Canada alone.

Saanich to Man Hall With Skeleton Staff

Saanich's new Shelbourne Street fire hall will be operated when it is completed—but with a skeleton crew.

Before setting the 1950 mill rate last before midnight last night, the council adopted the alternative plan as set forth by Chief Joseph Law.

The chief told the council he was disappointed the new hall was going to be built and then locked up until the results of a December referendum could be known. (Council decided Monday to go ahead with construction of the hall after selling the project, the previous week.)

PARTIAL SERVICE

Noting that the council's chief problem in dealing with the new hall was finances, Chief Law suggested putting a partial service into operation. Under his plan there will be two men in the Shelbourne Street hall, two in the Elk Lake hall and four in the Douglas Street headquarter. When a fire is reported to the Shelbourne Street hall or the Elk Lake hall, two men will proceed to the area from headquarters. There will always be four men at a fire.

The new plan will only require the hiring of two additional firemen, bringing the total of men at the new hall were operated with a full crew. A car will have to be purchased to transport the two firemen from headquarters to the fire scene. Council placed $6,000 in the estimates for the scheme.

"I feel this plan will be better than not having the hall in operation at all," stated Chief Law.

Council ruled that a referendum still will be held" in December to decide if the hall should be operated with a complete crew. Councillor William C. Kersey stated he had to have a partial volunteer department and a committee was appointed to investigate. Chief Law said he foresaw obstacles in this scheme.

Red Reaches All Time High

WINNIPEG, April 27 (CP).—The surging Red River reached an all-time high level at the international border today and poured its millions of muddy gallons on Canadian farms already sorely hit by flooding time floods.

Pembina, North Dakota—just across the way from the boundary town of Emerson, Man., recorded 41 feet, about six inches higher than the record crest of 1897.

Emerson, already two-thirds under water, all above closed and several hundred driven from their lowland homes, braced for more damage.

Morris, 20 miles downstream toward Winnipeg, felt the full fury of the river. Patients in Morris Community Hospital were moved to a new hospital on higher ground, itself now menaced. The Red and Morris River floods covered one-third of the town.

Applicant May Be Called For Personal Interview

Another city manager applicant may be called to Victoria by City Council for a personal interview.

This was announced last night by Alderman Harold Diggon, chairman of the special committee charged with the job of picking a city manager. He said the committee had decided to send an air mail letter to the applicant to find out if he would be willing to come to Victoria to interview.

Alderman Diggon refused to divulge the name of the applicant picked by the committee. He explained that if the name became widely disclosed at this time there was a possibility that his position in his present employment might be jeopardized.

He said the man was living in Eastern Canada and was one of the original city manager applicants. It is understood that the air mail letter was mailed last night.

Alderman Diggon said that the question mark would be removed from the candidate's identity if he is in a position to come to Victoria for the interview.

STILL SEEK APPLICANTS

He said the committee was writing to all other candidates who have not submitted full applications for additional information.

The city manager post was turned down earlier this month by George S. Mooney, of Montreal, the No. 1 choice. Last week Wilfred Greene, of New Westminster, and formerly of Saanich, withdrew his application. He had been selected as No. 2 choice. The No. 3 choice was Cecil Clifford Wyatt, of Kingston, Ont.

Study Plan To Cut Cost Of Building

CALGARY, April 28 (Friday) (CP).—The Albertan says today in a newspaper story that a "tremendous scheme carefully drafted to cut 25 per cent off the price of new homes in Canada" is in a well-advanced stage of negotiation.

"Interested are the British Board of Trade, the British Treasury, Provincial Governments, the Federal housing committee and a selected few of the biggest building contractors in Canada," the report says.

Construction will be largely confined to the four Western provinces, according to the story.

Frames of the houses would be of steel, low window sashes, doors and other millwork would be made in England and shipped in crates, for each unit. The hardwood would be purchased within the sterling countries of the Commonwealth—not from Canada for the present—and other lumber would be bought in Sweden.

The "founder" of the plan, the paper adds, is conducting a survey in Calgary and next week will go to Edmonton on a similar fact-finding mission.

Sidelines to the home-construction scheme would be an increase in shipping over the Hudson Bay route and the movement of a great number of "highly-trained" tradesmen from the British Isles.

The one-quarter cut in the price of homes would result mainly from reduced labor costs.

The story said arrangements are under way to erect a prototype in Montreal, Toronto, Winnipeg, Calgary and Edmonton.

Fear Fanatics' March

Residents Guard Roads In Fire-Dotted Interior

NELSON, April 27 (CP).—Doukhobor fire terrorism spread to another East Kootenay settlement today as fearful residents guarded mountain trails leading out of Krestova, Sons of Freedom stronghold.

Another building—the 16th reared by flames in the last ten days —was destroyed today at Tarrys 40 miles northwest of here in the Slocan Valley.

Police took the names of 27 "Sons" who stood chanting around the ashes of the abandoned shack, owned by A. Bazouhin, a fellow Freedomite. Some of the Doukhobors—both men and women—stripped, but no arrests were made.

Police and the Sons of Freedom families in the area were protesting the coming of a third world war.

Meanwhile, homes leading from Krestova, 22 miles west of here, were under guard following rumors the "Sons" planned a march on the village of Slocan Park, a few miles from here.

"If they (the Sons of Freedom) try any of their sort of stunts they burn villages there will be very serious trouble," said Walter Rendrick, Conservative member of the Legislature for Nelson-Creston.

"A vigilante action will definitely be taken."

Police reported tonight some 13 Doukhobor loggers in the Slocan Valley have set their camps up guard houses against further incendiarism. These Doukhobors, police said, are law-abiding orthodox members of the cult.

Meanwhile at Trail, preliminary sentences of 5½ years were imposed today on ten Doukhobor women convicted of nude parading.

Venon and date of the trial were kept a closely-guarded secret by authorities who feared disturbances by other members of the Sons of Freedom.

Nanaimo Youth Mishap Victim

NANAIMO, B.C., April 27 (CP).—An 18-year-old city youth was killed today in a logging accident at Island Industries Ltd. near Nanaimo Lake, Provincial Police reported.

Dead is Ronald McDonald. Details of the accident were not immediately available.

Firemen Battle Blaze for Three Hours

—Colonist Photos by Bud Simmons

Fire fighting is a thirsty job as Fireman Don Thompson (above) found out yesterday when almost the entire city fire department was called out to fight a three-alarm blaze at Victoria Box and Paper Company plant. Taking a brief breather, Thompson gulps down a cold soft drink before fighting his way back into the building.

Gas masks were rig-of-the-day for firemen working in the smoke-filled box factory. Several firemen were temporarily overcome by smoke from burning paper and oil in the factory basement. Here a masked fire fighter gropes his way to a window to borrow a handkerchief from Constable Eric Rossiter to clean the eyepieces of his mask.

The Weather

FORECAST

Victoria and Vicinity—Clear, continuing cool. Winds, westerly 20 m.p.h.

High Today—48

Sunshine Yesterday—8 hours.

Rainfall Yesterday—Nil.

COLONIST READINGS

	Min.	Max.
DOWNTOWN	43	65

TEMPERATURES

	Max.	Precipitation
Ala. City	65	.02
Calgary	48	Nil
Chicago	55	.01
Ft. Lang	39	Nil
Ft. Nelson	36	Nil
Kamloops	54	Nil
Lethbridge	39	Nil
Montreal	50	.01
Nanaimo	52	Nil
Penticton	59	Nil
Prince Rupert	45	.01
Regina	44	Nil
Resolute	20	Nil
Rimouski	44	.14
St. Catharines	50	.01
Saskatoon	39	Nil
Whitehorse	29	Nil
Seattle	52	.01
Chicago	55	.01
New York	62	Nil
Rome	61	.01

Naden Sailors Hurt in Crash

Two sailors were injured, one critically, when the car in which they were riding overturned on Sooke Road, Metchosin, at about 7 p.m. last night.

James Reed, seaman, and driver of the car, and Andrew Clements, a passenger—both from H.M.C.S. Naden—are in King's Daughters' Hospital at Duncan. Clements was seriously injured.

Sgt. F. L. Jeeves, Duncan Provincial Police, who was en route to Duncan from Victoria, gave first aid at the scene and summoned Dr. J. G. Coleman and an ambulance.

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Reorganization of U.N. Urged by Herbert Hoover

NEW YORK, April 27 (INS) — Former President Herbert Hoover called tonight for a reorganization of the United Nations to exclude Soviet Russia and all other Communist nations.

"If that is impractical," said Hoover, "then a definite new United front should be organized to those peoples who disavow Communism, who stand for morals and religion and who love freedom."

Hoover, who made his proposal in an address to the American Newspaper Publishers' Association, made clear that he was not suggesting extension of any military alliance.

He said

REDEEM U.N.

"It is a proposal based solely upon moral, spiritual and defence foundations. It is a proposal to redeem the concept of the United Nations to the high purpose for which it was created. It is a proposal for moral and spiritual co-operation of God-fearing nations."

Hoover received a standing ovation of well over a minute from the assembled editors and publishers from all over the nation. His speech was interrupted frequently by thunderous applause.

The nation's daily living at—President said that the world today needs "a moral mobilization against this creeping life imperialism."

NEED TO KNOW

"The United States needs to know," Hoover declared, "who are with us in the cold war against these practices, and whom we can depend on."

Hoover asserted that Americans hesitated to have come to realize that "this is not one world but two worlds. It is not a free defence—the atomic bomb—has been stolen from us, he said, and now the one world man "seems to be lost in the secret files."

Of the two worlds, in Hoover's view, one is militaristic and atheistic. The other world "still holds to belief in God, free nations, human dignity and peace."

MORE ISOLATED

Hoover warned that we are more more and more isolated "as the sole contender" in the cold war with Russia.

"We are steadily losing ground," he said, "because the non-Communist states are being picked off one by one or are compromising with the Communists."

The former President asserted that the Kremlin "has reduced the United Nations to a propaganda platform for the enemies of free peoples." Hoove his proposal for a reorganization.

In his present state, Hoover continued, the United Nations has been defeated as a preservative of peace and good will.

Doesn't Scoff At Stories Of "Caddy"

VANCOUVER, April 27 (CP) — Caddy has found a friend.

Professor L. B. Richardson, head of the zoology department, Victoria University College, Wellington, N.Z., said today that he "hasn't any reason to disbelieve" the existence of sea serpents like Victoria's storied Caddy.

MIGHT BE LUCKY

Professor Richardson, who was born in Australia, but educated in Canada, said he will be watching for Cadborosaurus "on our way past Victoria. You never know," he said. "I might be lucky and see him."

Hundreds of people have reported seeing the sea serpent in past years but no one has yet produced scientific proof of his existence.

He said the theory that Caddy might have been forced up from great ocean depths by some submarine eruption which destroyed his pressure bladders is quite plausible.

The professor said: "If he came to the surface slowly enough, he could survive.

DON'T KNOW EVERYTHING

"We don't know everything that is the sea. Take the discovery in South African waters, for instance, of the latimeria, a fish of a group believed extinct and known previously as a fossil."

Professor Richardson said he hoped New Zealand will acquire a sea monster, perhaps through one of that area's periodic volcanic disturbances.

"I'll be quite happy," he said, "the day a monster shows up . . . and I think he'll be a better one than your Caddy."

NEW COUNT McCORMACK

DUBLIN (CP)—Cyril McCormack, 42, son of the late Irish tenor John McCormack, has received a certificate from the Vatican granting him the title of count held by his father. The new count is head of a motor engineering business in Dublin.

Union Move May Tie Up Cannery Group

SEATTLE, April 27 (AP)—A union move that threatened to tie up the multi-million dollar Alaska salmon canning industry was reported today.

The International Longshoremen and Warehousemen's Union (CIO) announced it had issued a charter to cannery workers, who have been members of Local 7, Cannery Workers' Union, an affiliate of the Food, Tobacco, Agricultural and Allied Workers' Union.

William Outlaw, regional I.L.M.U. director, said a 48-man strike committee had been set up "to take economic action whenever it is deemed necessary to force the employers to recognize the new local and bargain with it in good faith."

He said officers of the F.T.A., which has been expelled from the C.I.O., recommended the move by the longshore union.

Union jurisdictional strife also was threatened by the I.L.W.U. action. The United Packinghouse Workers, a rival C.I.O. union, already has issued a charter to the same cannery group.

Resembles Big-Game Hunting

Quebeckers Prepare Gear To Go Beluga Fishing

QUEBEC, April 27 (CP)—A few fishermen and farmers along a 200-mile stretch of the lower St. Lawrence are oiling and sharpening harpoons once River this Spring are sitting for beluga fishing—a sport that packs all the punch of big game hunting.

The sport is all that's left to hunting horse-sized beluga—better known as the white porpoise—since the bottom went out of the market for fish oils a few years ago. When the oil was valuable as many as 800 belugas were killed each year on the river. Last year less than 50 were taken.

BIG SCHOOLS

Big schools of belugas are found in various gold-water spots between Rivière Quelle 48 miles east of here, and Trinity Bay, about 350 miles down river. Provincial Fisheries Department officials believe that the yearly catch could run to about 700 without depleting the species.

Until the end of the World War I white-porpoise fishing in the St. Lawrence was a profitable industry due to a big demand for oil and beluga leather.

There was also a bounty of $15 because belugas were believed to be destroying cod, salmon and herring in the St. Lawrence. When this was proved false, the bounty was cancelled in 1948.

Now, officials say, the belugas has no commercial value.

But beluga fishing is becoming a form of sea-going big game hunt, with the animals varying up to 20 feet in length and scaling 2,000 pounds.

USE MOTOR BOAT

One method is with a motor boat. The hunter goes out at high tide when the belugas comes in close to feed. When the tide ebbs, the hunter frightens them into shallow water with the noise of his boat. The porpoise comes up for air and the sportsman fires his rifle at the vitiverable spot in the animal's neck just behind its water spout. The dead beluga is harpooned and towed ashore.

Another way is with a seal boat. The idea is to sail up close and use a harpoon attached to a buoy. The hunter keeps track of his prey by following the buoy as the wounded fish tows it.

As one device puts it:

"Not everyone can hunt big game in Africa, but here at home is a sport that can come close to it."

Way Paved For Vote On Budget

OTTAWA, April 27 (CP)—The Commons tonight defeated two Opposition party motions of non-confidence in the Government and paved the way for a House vote on approval in principle of the Liberal Government's $2,400,000,000 budget for 1950-51.

By a vote of 129 to 43, the House defeated a Progressive Conservative motion of non-confidence.

The C.C.F. and Social Credit parties voted with the Progressive Conservatives against the Government on the amendment which was moved April 4 by J. M. MacDonnell, chief financial critic for the Progressive Conservatives.

It asked the House to express regret that Government policies made higher taxes inevitable; helped no adequate attempt to reduce expenditure and continued no program for national development without which the party believed there "would be no hope of reductions in taxes or the cost of living."

Earlier the House defeated by a vote of 127 to 12 a similar motion of non-confidence moved April 4 by M. J. Coldwell, C.C.F. Party leader. In this vote the Progressive Conservatives and Social Credit blocs voted with the Government.

Word Sought Of Woman Long Missing

SEATTLE, April 27 (AP)—The Post-Intelligencer today offered a $1,000 reward for information leading to the whereabouts of the wife of a former Seattle police captain, who has been missing since last May 31.

The woman, Mrs. Robert W. Morris, 42, dropped from sight on that date, and not a trace of her has been found since. The Post-Intelligencer offers the money whether she is found dead or alive.

The baffling mystery was not made public until eight months after Mrs. Morris disappeared. Inquiries by curious neighbors brought a policy string of the matter.

Captain Morris has since resigned from the police department to enter the contracting business in California. Police officially abandoned search for her this week.

FRESHWATER, Isle of Wight (CP)—After laying 19 ordinary white eggs, a goose here laid a chocolate colored one.

German Nationalism Called Threat to Reds

BONN, Germany, April 27 (AP)—West German Chancellor Konrad Adenauer told American educationists last night that German "national feeling" is the best guarantee against Communism in Germany. A distinction must be drawn between "nationalism" and "genuine national feeling," he said. He insisted that reports of a revival of "nationalism" in Germany were greatly exaggerated.

Painters Seek List Of Poisons on Cans

VANCOUVER, April 27 (CP)—The Brotherhood of Painters, Decorators and Paperhangers today asked the Workmen's Compensation Act inquiry that deadly or harmful ingredients in paint be listed on can labels.

Jack Eaves, union business agent, said that many synthetic paints are manufactured these days containing benzine or other injurious solvents.

When used in spray painting, he said, these chemicals may cause skin or eye ailments as well as damage to the respiratory or digestive systems.

The inquiry is continuing.

Homing Pigeons Fly 3,000 Miles

CHICAGO, April 27 (INS)—A slightly battered homing pigeon winged into Chicago today after a 3,000-mile hop from Arizona, N.M.

Chicken carried greetings from the Kiwanis Clubs of Arizona to the International organization in Chicago.

It flashed across the finish line a half-hour before another pigeon, Doris. The hop was believed to be longest ever attempted by homing pigeons in competition.

Fire Startles Biggest Hotel

TORONTO, April 27 (CP)—Fire in a 34-story penthouse tonight caused excitement but little damage in the Royal York Hotel, largest hotel in the British Empire.

Soot in a kitchen duct leading to the roof was ignited by sparks from the main kitchen range. Smoke filled the top three stories of the 34-story structure and filtered down to the main floor.

While several guests fled their rooms there was no panic.

BEDFORD, England (CP)—With a waiting list of 1,167 people in need of operations, Bedford Group Hospital Management Committee reported that 177 beds in one of its hospitals were empty through lack of nurses.

Elephant Wins Big Pull With Amphibious Truck

CHICAGO, April 27 (INS)—An elephant and a "duck" squared off in a tug-of-war today and the elephant came out the easy victor.

The battle wasn't quite as one-sided as it might seem at first, however, since the "duck" in this case was an amphibious military vehicle belonging to the Marine Corps League.

It appears the South Chicago zoo of the league found its "duck" could out-pull any elephant in the world, including Blanche, an 35-year-old pachyderm that has been with the Cole Brothers circus for 19 years.

STOOD GROUND

The "duck," weighing in at 19,510 pounds, had nearly a 400-pound advantage over Blanche but the latter stood her ground with his effort when the two were chained together for the tug-of-war.

The final result was ruled a draw when Blanche's trainer Larry Davis explained she refused to pull because her friend Babe wasn't at her side.

STUDENTS STRIKE

MEXICO CITY, April 27 (AP)—Eighteen of Mexico City's 20 vocational and technical schools were closed today by a students' strike. About 20,000 of the 22,000 students attend classes. The striking students asked the dismissal of the director of the schools which are grouped in this national Polytechnic Institute.

In the second round, Babe was led up beside Blanche but not harnessed to the chain connecting with the "duck."

Babe a moral support apparently did the trick, however, and Blanche began ranking the duck backward until Driver Robert Wilmott, 30, tossed in the towel.

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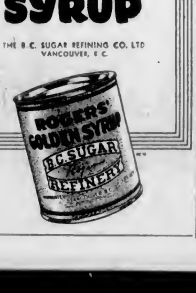

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Around Town

— With Additional District News on Page 27 —

Thousands Flock to Buildings To View Queen Mary's Carpet

With many an "ooh and aah" an astonishing 15,000 people trooped through the Legislative Buildings yesterday to view the 1,000,000-stitch carpet made by Queen Mary.

They carried away thousands of souvenir cards showing the pattern and hundreds of more expensive brochures describing how the Queen Mother made it.

It is believed the largest crowd ever to turn out in Victoria to inspect a work of art.

While those who saw the carpet during the day were predominantly women, many men turned out too.

Hundreds of people took advantage of the occasion to troop through the corridors of the Legislative Buildings, look into the Legislative Chamber and wander through the libraries.

They buttonholed civil servants and other visitors to ask questions.

During the afternoon Lieutenant-Governor and Mrs. Charles Banks came to the Buildings, saw the carpet from the floor above the Rotunda, where a spotlight shone down through a circular opening.

ARRIVE EARLY

Although the display was scheduled to start at 10 a.m., hundreds turned up before.

A R.C. policeman was on guard to restrain women who seemed to show an almost universal desire to touch the carpet.

The exhibition here is being sponsored by the I.O.D.E. with the co-operation of the Provincial Government.

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FIRST FIELD TRIP

The Victoria Natural History Society will hold its first field trip of the season at Sinnager's Cove, Ten Mile Point, Saturday afternoon.

The Cadboro Bay bus terminus at Tudor and Beaview will be the meeting place of the group. A bus will be leaving the B.C.E. depot, between Pandora and Cormorant, at 1 p.m.

The trip will be in charge of W. Tilden, of the botany group, and will end at Dr. H. T. Gussow's home on McAnaly Avenue.

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INVITE MAYOR

An invitation to attend the annual Rhododendron Festival at Port Townsend on May 20 was extended to Mayor Percy George yesterday by Mayor H. E. Anderson of the Washington State centre.

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HONOR COUPLE

City hall employees gathered in the mayor's office last night to pass along best wishes to fellow employees, Miss Patricia Orr and Peter Cairns.

The young couple are to be married next week. Miss Orr has been employed in the assessor-collector's department, while Mr. Cairns is employed in the comptroller-treasurer's department. The two first met at the City Hall.

On behalf of the employees, Mayor Percy George presented the young couple with a coffee table, a tri-light and a radio stand.

Today's Question

Answer on Page 4

How is milk pasteurized?

Vancouver Man Loses Suit Against B.C.E.

A Vancouver citizen will have to bear his own doctor's bills for two broken ribs suffered when he tripped and fell on an icy street while leaning for a bus which overshot its stopping place.

Appeal Court yesterday allowed the appeal of B.C. Electric Railway Co. against $185 damages awarded Robert Irwin Kean by Judge R. A. Bayard in County Court, Vancouver.

Kean had claimed $1,807 damages, including sums for medical expenses and loss earning-power. He alleged the bus driver was negligent in giving 30 feet past a bus-stop at Jervis and Robson Streets, opening the doors and "inviting" passengers to board.

RAN ACROSS STREET

He fell while running across the street to the failed bus, which had passed the regular stop in order to avoid a slippery slope.

Harold L. Harkley, counsel for Kean, argued that the bus should either have stopped at the regular place or not at all. Intending passengers were the company's responsibility, once recognized, he said.

J. L. Farris, counsel for the company, argued that the company was not responsible for the condition of the road. "The sole cause of the plaintiff's injuries was his own negligence in hurrying over the icy road," he said.

Said Mr. Justice C. H. O'Halloran: "If there was any invitation, it was not an invitation to intending passengers to rush heedlong across the Street in its then icy condition."

A cross-appeal for greater damages was dismissed.

Widow Greta Overcoming Heart Ache

Greta, the broken-hearted robin, is still grieving for her lost mate—but her broken heart seems to be slowly mending.

Greta started pounding on a window at the home of C. L. Whibby, 860 St. Patrick Street, sixteen days ago and has been at it ever since.

The theory is that Greta's mate was the robin accidently killed in Mr. Whibby's garden but she apparently thinks he is inside the house.

TIME OUT

The window-pounding antics, however, are beginning to taper off. When Greta first started she practically forgot about food but now she takes time out for the odd short flight, according to Mrs. Whibby.

Perhaps Greta feels nesting season is approaching and it's time she did something about it.

Losses in Car, Fire Insurance Down in 1949

Ratio of losses to premiums paid for car insurance dropped sharply last year, according to a report by S. W. Taylor, provincial superintendent of insurance.

Premiums amounted to $9,907,551 with $5,157,986 being paid out on claims. In 1948 premiums were $7,743,846, with payments of $5,113,548 on claims. Ratio of losses to claims in last year was 51.85 as against 66.03 for 1948. Last year's loss ratio is the lowest since 1944.

FIRE LOSSES DROP

Losses compared to premiums showed a drop for fire insurance also. Premiums amounted to $11,807,118 last year with losses of $6,394,686, a ratio of losses to premiums of 53.65. Comparative figures for 1948 show premiums at $9,811,158 with losses of $6,242,347, a ratio of 63.72.

During the year an additional $142,723,369 in life insurance policies were written, bringing the total at the end of the year to $1,087,336,446.

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Fifteen Thousand See Queen Mary's Carpet

—Colonist Photo

Observers were amazed yesterday at huge crowd which trooped through Legislative Buildings to see carpet made by Queen Mary. Above photo is taken from the floor above main rotunda.

Athens Teacher Touring Canada

Greeks Like Canadians Better Than Other Races

Greeks like Canadians better than any other people in the world, says Professor Helen Doucsky of Athens, who left for Vancouver yesterday after a 24-hour visit to Victoria.

She is traveling through Canada on a United Nations fellowship, looking into Canadian educational methods, libraries and public health services. She said she was tremendously impressed by what she had seen in British Columbia.

EXTENDS INVITATION

Visiting Education Minister W. T. Straith, she invited him to visit Greece when he goes to Europe this Summer.

"Of all the countries in the world," said Prof. Doucsky, "I think Canada has the highest prestige in Greece. Canada is the country all our people want to visit when they want to study and learn."

She said the Canadian embassy in Greece is doing a splendid job and sends out a stream of literature and films to schools and libraries. In this way, she said, people are coming to know Canada well.

TEACHER IN ATHENS

Prof. Doucsky teaches at a girls' collegiate in Athens. She said school conditions are "appalling," that, in many schools, 100 pupils are crowded into one room.

Only European woman to come to Canada on a United Nations fellowship, Prof. Doucsky is a daughter of a one-time deputy minister of education in Greece. She is a graduate of the University of Bucharest and holds a law degree from the University of Athens.

Tax Evasion Charges Laid

A bankrupt city auto dealer was remanded to May 4 for judgment on the first of six charges laid against him under the Social Security and Municipal Aid Tax Act when he appeared before Magistrate H. C. Hall in City Police Court yesterday.

He is Frank Wakeham, former proprietor of Wakeham Motors, 948 Yates Street.

He is charged with collecting the 3 per cent sales tax on car sales and failing to turn it over to the Government.

In the one case heard yesterday, Wakeham admitted collecting $16.75 sales tax on the sale of an auto. He said he failed to remit it to the tax department.

Stresses Value Of Radio Aid In Flight Plan

The value of radio communication to aerial navigation was noted in an address to the Rotary Club yesterday at the Empress Hotel by club member John McIntosh.

By means of charts, and novel sound effects, he described two methods by which aircraft are able to maintain their bearings and make landings. Assisting with the sound effects were Dick Bailey and Miss Ida Blanco, of CJVI.

A major portion of his talk was devoted to a personal experience in a Mosquito aircraft while making a trip from Iceland to Prestwick, Scotland, some time ago.

President Walter Fletcher announced that John Gough, John McIntosh, W. C. Mearns and Robert Phipps had been elected as directors for a two-year term. Last week it was announced that George Duck had been elected president for the 1950-51 term by acclamation.

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CARS REPAY WAR DEBT

Of special interest to Canadians will be the fact that the entire proceeds from all Czech cars sold in Canada will remain here—40% of it going towards Czecho-Slovakia's debt to Canada and 40% towards the purchase of Canadian cow hides.

The Skoda and Tatraplan are available in the West through Campbell Motors, Vancouver, B.C.

Or Warren Eats Hat

Tourist Heads Promise New Record In Volume of Visitors Coming Here

This year is going to see an all-time record set as far as tourist travel to Victoria is concerned, Mr. George Warren, Publicity Bureau commissioner, is going to eat his hat.

He made the point clear yesterday morning at a meeting of the bureau directors, claiming that current indications point to just such a record. Already, he reported, more than 8,000 visitors have called at the new Publicity Bureau building, and letters of inquiry are pouring in by the hundreds each week.

FIRST ADVERTISEMENTS

The first in a series of large advertisements, sponsored by the Evergreen Playground Association — of which Victoria is a member—are now appearing in newspapers and magazines throughout the United States, Mr. Warren said, and response to them is mounting every day.

In addition to local indications, he continued, a similar record-breaking picture was seen by the British Columbia Government Travel Bureau, and by the Canadian Government Travel Bureau in Ottawa.

"Last year about 300,000 tourists came to Victoria and the Island during the Summer season," the commissioner stated, "and there appears to be no doubt that 1950 will see a far greater number."

ON TOUR

Presently, he said, the bureau's "personal contact" man, Dave Nairn, was on a tour of Washington, Oregon and California — distributing hundreds of folders and pamphlets, all of which publicize this city and the Island as a tourists' mecca.

Large and colorful billboards, owned and maintained by the bureau, are being repaired and reconditioned at their locations throughout Washington, Oregon, California and Idaho. On each of them appear the words "Follow the Birds to Victoria, B.C."

W. L. Woodhouse, president of the publicity bureau, presided at yesterday's meeting, attended by Aldermen Harold M. Dagwin, Charles Bechtel and Frank Mulliner.

FLOODS DROWN EIGHT

BOGOTA, Colombia, April 27 (AP). —Press dispatches said yesterday that at least eight persons were drowned in floods in two areas approximately 50 miles north of Bogota. A heavy loss of cattle and crops also was reported.

Garages Win Legal Battles From Clients

Garages won two legal battles against customers in County Court yesterday.

Claim of Ira Trowsdale, Oyster Bay logger, for $250 down payment on a car bought from Crabbe Auto Sales, 3706 Government Street, was dismissed by Judge H. H. Shandler when no one appeared for the plaintiff.

The garage's counter-claim for $308.50 from Trowsdale was allowed. Trowsdale earlier alleged that the dealer "falsely and fraudulently" represented a 1935 model car as a 1936 model. He sought return of his $250 down payment.

REPAIRS NECESSARY

The garage, represented by J. B. Clearihue, K.C., put in counter-claim for $308.50, stating that repairs had been necessary after the car was returned to the garage, and that used-car prices had gone down in the interval, resulting in a loss.

In a judgment handed down yesterday, Judge Shandler dismissed John Rysnash's suit against Same Bay Garage, in which Rysnash had claimed the garage charged him more than the previously agreed price for repairs.

The judge said the plaintiff had failed to establish that the garage knew in advance that materials and labor would cost more than the amount specified.

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Manitoba's Plight May Be British Columbia's

EVERY sympathy will be extended by the citizens of British Columbia to those towns and villages in Manitoba which for the second Spring have felt the weight of troublesome floods. Several Prairie settlements in the Red River area have been badly hit, and the crisis has not passed. It was from a beginning such as this two years ago that the whole of the Pacific Northwest went into a two-months siege of floods, with considerable damage to the main drainage systems of this province. That year, too, the floods began at Winnipeg, shifted west into Alberta, and finally broke out in the Fraser and other valleys of British Columbia.

Last Winter, cold and prolonged throughout much of the West, was attended by considerable snowfall in the various mountain ranges, and a good part of the precipitation remains in the forms of ice or snow. This is noticeable in the Revelstoke and southeastern sections of British Columbia, where deep snow still is on the ground at higher altitudes. It is marked also by the unusual depth of ice on rivers and lakes at this time, so close to the annual run-offs in the main drainage systems.

While ominous enough, such conditions do not automatically imply flooding. In a normal season the snow melts and runs off on warm days, with a 12-hour check at night. Chinooks, however, can upset the pattern, and uninterrupted run-offs throughout 24 hours of the day then bring down a greater volume of water than the regular river channels can take care of without spilling over their banks. Much will depend in British Columbia on the quality of the nights in May and June. If these are warm, a certain degree of flooding may be anticipated. One encouragement lies in the fact that diking systems have been strengthened.

Mr. Justice Smith Defines Communist Membership

MR. Justice Sidney Smith, from the Bench of the British Columbia Appeal Court, has presented one of the most cogent arguments yet heard for the practice of Communism in Canada to be declared illegal by act of Parliament. The jurist has lifted the issue out of politics and presented Communism in its true light, as a movement whose object is the overthrow of constitutional government. As such it should not be allowed the status of a political party in this country, nor should its adherents enjoy the freedom of opinion, speech and action that belongs by right to organizations which, though they may oppose the government of the day, believe in the free parliamentary system.

The comments made by Mr. Justice Smith related to a specific case: that of Gordon Marvin, Communist law graduate, whose appeal against the Law Society's refusal to admit him to membership was dismissed by the court. What he said, however, could be applied with equal weight to Communist activity in general. His Lordship agreed that no man should be excluded because of his "politics." Then he made an observation that goes to the core of the whole issue:

"Advocating the overthrow of the Government by force is not a matter of politics at all," His Lordship said. "It is in the nature of a conspiracy. A conspiracy is a body that is in effect conspiring against the Government he goes beyond mere opinion; his very joining is an overt act."

There is the answer direct to those who, while opposed to Communism in principle, hesitate to outlaw its adherents by statute because of a misconception that by so doing they might be circumscribing individual liberty. Canada without any qualms at all could well follow the example of Australia, where a Government bill to proclaim Communism illegal was introduced in Parliament this week.

City Manager Post Should Be Re-Advertised

IT as reported the special committee concerned is prepared to consider new applications received at the City Hall for the post of city manager, should not the proper procedure be to re-advertise the position? The committee already has in front of it a list of applicants who complied with the deadline of February 23. Inability to make a choice should not cause good faith to be broken. It would seem that either the selection must be limited to those who originally bid for the post, or the latter should be thrown wide open again and fresh applications invited.

Because of the unexpected upset that has occurred since the first choice of Stevenson & Kellogg withdrew, it is important that no suspicion of blocking the selection should arise. It will be unfortunate, also, if any impression spreads abroad as to conditions here that might deter a suitable candidate. It also seems strange that the City Council was willing to accept the No. 1 candidate named by their business advisers but apparently not the next two in line. What the committee is doing now is merely what they could have done at the outset and so saved a fee for unheeded advice.

Granted such difficulties as may be involved there is need for implementing the city manager plan as soon as possible. Four months have gone by since the electorate endorsed it, yet the city is still much nearer its inauguration. Certain applicants themselves are restive over the delay. One recalls that the council on its record as favoring a reduction in its size once the city managership plan goes into operation; it would be a pity if the suspicion arose that dilliance might enable the council to back down from this stand.

The best course would seem to be for a new start to be made, with the post being re-advertised, this time with a fixed salary quoted and the terms of the appointment cited beyond doubt. No bias applicants may know what they are applying for. Bargaining over salary or any other aspect of the post will not produce the best city manager.

Letters and Excerpts

Letters to the editor on any topic of genuine interest are welcome if they are brief, temperate and fair. No letter will be inserted, in whole or in part, except over the proper signature and address of the writer. Pen names will be considered.

SPEAKER CHALLENGED

Sir,—I read with real apprehension a report of a meeting of the "Victoria Peace Council" held at Prince Robert House.

I wonder how much time Mrs. Hilary Brown has spent inside the Soviet Union to be able to speak so learnedly on the subject.

I have it from a very close friend of mine, who has lived some time in Moscow during the last 18 years, that Russian sentiments are very different. They want peace, "yes," but at their own price—world domination for the Communist regime.

At the start of the last war, there were one or two so-called "peace movements" in Great Britain, run by such figures as the Duke of Bedford and Admiral Domville; it was soon found however, that these were playing straight into the hands of Hitler, and their leaders were quickly put "somewhere safe" by the security officials once war was declared.

We read the disturbing news that Alaska "can be taken by paratroops in 48 hours" and yet we go on bleating about Russia only wanting peace. What are we trying to do—hand our country over as a gesture?

Let's have peace by all means, but peace through strength, not wishful thinking.

JAMES AUDLAND

"Delaura," R.R. 1, Victoria, B.C.

OLD-AGE PENSIONS

Sir,—Your correspondent, Mrs. Spurr, commenting on the House of Commons and the Senate requesting bills from the public regarding social security has made a very vital suggestion, namely employing older persons to administer the scheme. The wheel has been at the House of Commons in 1927 when the old-age pension legislation was first introduced, and listening to the speeches at that time—how these worthy pioneers were not to be recipients of charity and knowing the cruelties and indignities that these "worthy persons" have been subjected to, and others refusing to apply because of the dread ordeal, it seems imperative that politics and patronage should be entirely eliminated. Up to the present these positions have been filled with party supporters.

The restrictions of the civil service in barring persons of 35 years from the civil servants'ties work has been responsible in a large measure for the miserable mess in our national budget.

Anyone capable of a modicum of clear thinking must realise that as the span of years is on the increase there must be a remedy to meet the physical need of every needy Canadian.

The principle of indirect taxation also hits the pockets of the low income persons and some drastic readjustments must be made, and that quickly.

A. CAROLYN BAYFIELD.

2585 Lansdowne Road, Victoria, B.C.

FROM PLYMOUTH

Sir,—I frequently receive copies of The Daily Colonist and the only record of the sender is Four Castles", written on the wrapper.

I think that the papers are probably sent to me by one of the many Canadian servicemen who were stationed in Plymouth during the war and would not like him to think me ungrateful, so I am asking you if you would be good enough to publish this letter of thanks in the hope that the sender will read it and perhaps let me have his full address.

NANCY ASTER

3 Elliot Terrace, The Hoe, Plymouth, England.

"When the Lamp . . ."

When the lamp is shattered
The light in the dust lies dead—
When the cloud is scattered
The rainbow's glory is shed.
When the lute is broken,
Sweet tones are remembered not.
When the lips have spoken,
Loved accents are soon forgot.

As music and splendour
Survive not the lamp and the lute
The heart's echoes render
No song when the spirit is mute:—
No song but sad dirges,
Like the wind through a ruined cell,
Or the mournful surges
That ring the dead seaman's knell . . .

—SHELLEY

Thinking Aloud

. . . of shoes—and ships—and sealing wax—of cabbages and kings."

By TOM TAYLOR

UNLESS the Liverbird gargoyles fall from atop their stony perch—into the Mersey perhaps—Liverpool will not win the English Cup this Saturday. Wednesday, say a legend, and on a soccer field legend is not to be despised. Yet only two weeks ago the legend of the famed Hampden Roar" failed utterly to intimidate a traditionally white-shirted English eleven. True, it was a Liverpool player, the dancing Billy Liddell of whom great things are expected tomorrow, who almost saved the day for his native Scotland when he took a headed pass on the turn and drove a magnificent shot towards the top corner of the English net, only to have Wolverhampton's goalie make the save of his life.

This was the save that gave England not only the British international championship but the right to represent the British Isles in the World Cup series at Brazil next July. Not that the World Cup matters so much to a Scots eleven as a victory over the auld enemy. Remember it is "croup", as Liverpudlians will shout tomorrow night when they take it home, that matters; in Scotland nothing compares in glory with an international match, especially the international—against England. Then it is; as one writer put it recently,

"The hornpipes, jigs, strathspeys and reels,
Put life and mettle in their heels."

Yes, even though, as two weeks ago, the rose triumphs over the thistle.

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I remember my first hearing of the Hampden Roar. It was during my first close-up of the soccer giants enshrined in the hearts of all small Scots boys. It was 1912 and, of course, an international against England. I can see the vast, pulsating crowd yet, well over 100,000, swaying forward as though drawn by a magnet every time Jimmy Quinn got the ball. Yes, the Celtics most illustrious centre-forward was spearheading the Scottish attack, although this time from the left wing. He had been put there to contain that redoubtable champion Bob Crompton. Hardly, Crompton and Pennington—that was the English defence, as it had been for years on end. What a triumvirate! And what a roar when Quinn and Crompton represented Scotland as the Blackburn man blocked Jimmy's famous left foot.

There was Alex Raisbeck, I remember, the golden-haired Viking who could head a ball as far as most men could kick it. He had come home not long before to play for Partick Thistle—and I do believe from Liverpool! There was that fabulous Englishman, Steve Bloomer, of Derby County, who scored goals like no inside-right before or since. There was Heart of Midlothian's Bobby Walker, the darling of the gods, with more "caps" than any other player on the field and more tricks to his twinkling feet than should be allowed in one man. There was Jimmy Brownlee, I think, in the Scottish goal, much younger than when he came to Canada with Third Lanark in 1921, but equally superb.

Ah, what nostalgia!

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It will be like that tomorrow at Wembley, as it was two weeks ago between at 35 years the oldest remunerative work has been responsible in a large measure for the miserable mess in our national budget. Anyone capable of a modicum of clear thinking must realise that as the span of years is on the increase there must be a remedy to meet the physical need of every needy Canadian.

The principle of indirect taxation also hits the pockets of the low income persons and some drastic readjustments must be made, and that quickly.

A. CAROLYN BAYFIELD.

2585 Lansdowne Road, Victoria, B.C.

FROM PLYMOUTH

Sir,—I frequently receive copies of The Daily Colonist and the only record of the sender is Four Castles", written on the wrapper.

I think that the papers are probably sent to me by one of the many Canadian servicemen who were stationed in Plymouth during the war and would not like him to think me ungrateful, so I am asking you if you would be good enough to publish this letter of thanks in the hope that the sender will read it and perhaps let me have his full address.

NANCY ASTER

3 Elliot Terrace, The Hoe, Plymouth, England.

"When the Lamp . . ."

When the lamp is shattered
The light in the dust lies dead—
When the cloud is scattered
The rainbow's glory is shed.
When the lute is broken,
Sweet tones are remembered not.
When the lips have spoken,
Loved accents are soon forgot.

As music and splendour
Survive not the lamp and the lute
The heart's echoes render
No song when the spirit is mute:—
No song but sad dirges,
Like the wind through a ruined cell,
Or the mournful surges
That ring the dead seaman's knell . . .

—SHELLEY

Today's Answer

(Question on Page 5)

By heating to 143 degrees F., and holding at that temperature for 30 minutes

HOW OUR GREAT INSTITUTIONS ARE CONDUCTED — THE B.B.C.

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Major Task for Trygve Lie

By BOB CONSIDINE

NEW YORK — For the next few weeks one of the world's most important men will be a burly Norwegian named Trygve Lie, who'll be speaking broken English and broken Russian in an atmosphere of broken promises.

Lie, pronounced Lee, has the somewhat inappropriate nickname of "Trigger." His current mission is one aimed at clogging the poised triggers of the great powers.

No one at United Nations doubts that Lie, who as first secretary-general of the world body is one of the few persons welcome in the presence of all conflicting parties to the cold war, is carrying with him President Truman's explicit views on what this country is prepared to do if pushed to the face again. He is carrying, too, the outline of the concessions we would make to relieve the threat of war.

These sentiments, expressed at a recent White House meeting between Truman and Lie, were meant to be relayed directly to the top Russian brass. Lie has asked to see Stalin, whom he met first in 1923 during a visit to Moscow to see Lenin. Through his United Nations work he is on very familiar terms with the top men around Stalin, including Arkady Sobolev, now in charge of the Western section of the Soviet Union's Foreign Office. Sobolev was Lie's assistant at United Nations.

If Stalin refuses to see him it will not necessarily mean that he is refused attempts of last July to negotiate such a deal with Turkey or Moscow. After all, Canada can hardly expect a foreign government to take over a problem that has been tagged insoluble.

It is, of course, insoluble only as long as no sincere and sufficient effort is made by the Governments concerned to solve it. In wartime our authorities lost no time in breaking up the Japanese concentration on the Pacific Coast. In the logic of war, however, peaceful most of them might have been, they were deemed a threat to security. What must be the world's reaction to thousand fanatics openly incited to arson and sabotage, and concentrated in a single area.

For all this country's abhorrence of forced migrations, redistribution may be the way to break up the hard core of Doukhobor fanaticism. If scattered thinly through Canada and assisted in rehabilitation, most of them could probably be weaned away from the mass persecution complex and mob psychology which their mentors cultivate among them. Far better to assuage the majority while it can be done than let such a cancer spread with the fanatical excuse so prevalent in the past that it is inevitable. Such an abdication of responsibility is a kindness to no one, least of all to the Doukhobor families who are being exploited.

buffing Truman. At least, that's the feeling at United Nations. There, it is believed that if Stalin resigns it will be confirmation of the recent vague reports that the leader of nearly a billion subjects is not in Moscow but at a Black Sea resort—and in a wheelchair. If so, Stalin would not show himself to a man who will report back to the Western powers.

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The expectation, however, is that Lie will get through to the Kremlin with his mighty tidings. It would not surprise United Nations observers if the mission results in a lessening of the present tension.

Russia, the observers point out, is about scheduled for one of its periodic backdowns. It has stretched world tension to the snapping point and, as is the tradition of Communism, is prepared to pull in its horns and assume the role of pious peace-maker until the West relaxes again.

Then, in all probability, it will move against the Philippines—considered by Louis Budenz and other authorities on Soviet imperialism as Communism's next primary target.

Whether there is a "keep your hands off the Philippines" demand in the Truman message which Lie is bearing, no outsider could know. But that it is blunt, no one denies.

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The use of Lie as an intermediary, though surprising to some, is in line with the Administration's policy to make more and more use of United Nations and its services in the quest of a true peace. The American view is that there would be no reason for the meetings of heads of states, or even their Foreign Ministers, if the machinery available at United Nations was used.

We are further depending on United Nations to serve as our window, however enlarged, in the Iron Curtain—now that United States Consulates, information offices and newspaper bureaus in those lands are being shuttered.

If Lie can bring about even a temporary defrosting of the cold war he will gain enormous stature and, if he wants it, another 5-year term as United Nations Secretary-General. It's a good job: $20,000 a year salary, $20,000 a year for expenses, and both tax free. And a lifetime 7-year pension for life when he retires.

(International, Boys Ser vice)

Observation Car

By G. S.

INDIA will henceforth be known to residents as Bharat. They did not decide whether to call themselves Bharata, Bharatistan or Bharatiliss. Uncle Joe Stalin's mob would like to know them affectionately as Bharatiskis . . . An amateur photographer from Camas, Washington, took a photograph at Pacific City, Oregon, which he claimed was a reproduction of a genuine flying saucer. When asked for the negative, he said he had made three prints and destroyed it because friends told him he might get into trouble with the Federal Bureau of Investigation or the United States Army Air Force. After a little research, a professional photographer at Salem, Oregon, had no hesitation in expressing an opinion that the saucer shape on the prints had been caused by water spots left when drying the original negative . . . Canned meat, canned milk and canned beans have been freed from rationing in the British Isles. Ration points are still required for biscuits, dried fruit, syrup, rice, canned fish, jelly, sugar, fresh meat, bacon, butter and lard . . . The B.C. Electric conveniently designated fire places in Greater Victoria where residents may place their electric light and power bills. The B.C. Telephone Company should follow suit . . . Dairyman hawked their heads off when margarine was placed on the market. At the current rate of scientific progress, somebody may come along with a substitute for milk one of these days . . . Less than 25 years ago it was considered bad taste indeed to hang out washing on a Sunday, but now many residents of Greater Victoria do their laundry on the Sabbath. Perhaps some women leave it to the day of rest so they can cajole their husbands into tending a helping hand. There is also a lot of Sunday house building going on in Saanich.

Looking Back

Through Colonist Files

25 YEARS AGO—Efforts of the Lord's Day Alliance to prevent whites and Orientals from working on Sundays in Saanich met with a very cool reception from the municipal council.

50 A watch tower has been erected on top of the Central Fire Hall from where a fire could be located should the alarm system be out of order.

85 The Fire Department will hold their grand annual parade on May Day. The companies and their apparatus will be reviewed and inspected by H.E. the Governor.

A Job for Salvage

(From The Globe and Mail, Toronto)

BELATED though it is, the prospect of Federal-Provincial co-operation to deal with two thousand Doukhobor fanatics is encouraging. According to Mr. Gordon Wismer, British Columbia's Attorney-General, the Federal Government now recognises a state tantamount to insurrection in the Kootenay Valley. Ottawa's conversion is somewhat antiellimantic after many years of guerrilla warfare by the self-styled Sons of Freedom. Probably no other progressive country in the world would have tolerated such conditions.

Since they make no bones about their defiance, Canadian authorities should make no bones about dealing with them.

If, as it appears, the Criminal Code is not adequate to cope with the question, then special legislation must be devised. British Columbia has tried mass imprisonment with only temporary results. Deportation back to Russia, even if it were practicable and humane, would deal with only the older fringe and not touch the second and third generations born in this country since the Doukhobor influx of half a century ago. The efforts mentioned by Mr. Wismer to persuade some country to accept a voluntary, assisted migration have apparently—and not surprisingly—struck no more oil than the sect's own proposal to cut up ice cubes, shake a cocktail and play records at three speeds.

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Eminent foreign psychiatrists were being taken around a French insane asylum. In the corridor they met one of the patients.

"Why," one of the specialists asked him, "do you remain huddled up in this corner, all alone, scrutinizing your hair?"

"Because," replied the inmate, "I'm the only person in all the world who knows where I itch."

Fun, Fact and Fiction

The Country Party leader, Mr. Fadden, after the Australian Federal election campaign: "Anyone tired than I am is in no danger."

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A writer comes up with the information that chewing-gum now has "a firm foothold" in North Africa. He couldn't have so pressed himself better.

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A three-way furnace that will burn coal, gas or oil has been developed in the United States. The salesman may call on us when he has one that will

Victoria's Own Fellow Citizen

"And So, Gentlemen of the Jury . . ."

This is THE 3th series of familiar types of citizens depicted by sapsed exponents of better. Ruby above, whose photo was sent to the Colonist's contest by her parents, is Susan Whitaker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Whitaker, 1321 Hampshire Road, Victoria. They win $3.

First Scene in Years

Shouting Jobless Thrown Out Of Astonished House Session

OTTAWA, April 27 (CP).—One after the other, seven men tried to shout statements about unemployment down into the Commons chamber from the public gallery today and were forcibly seized and removed by House police.

In the first incident of its kind in years, uniformed police grabbed each man almost as soon as he stood up and started to read from a brief prepared by the "Canadian Convention of Unemployed Workers," meeting here. They earlier tried unsuccessfully to present the brief to Prime Minister St. Laurent and Labor Minister Mitchell.

OCCASIONAL TITTERING

The House, looking up in astonishment and then occasionally tittering, took no official cognizance of the scene enacted a few feet above members' heads. It was all over within a minute or so and the men were outside the building, quietly ushered there by police.

The first voice, that of "provisional president," Ray Corlette of Toronto, shouted down into the House just as the Speaker called it to order at 3 p.m.

Standing in the first row of gallery seats, just behind reporters in the press gallery, Collins shouted Mr. Speaker, I represent the unemployed . . ."

A policeman grabbed him and led him away. A second man immediately arose. He said he was from Vancouver and started to read the list of cities the convention embraced. He was grabbed. A third man got up some distance away. That went on until the final man, standing up in one of the rear rows, was swept over by three policemen and taken out.

WANT HEARING

One of the group, most shabbily dressed, said "I'm ex-service and I represent the unemployed and I'd like to have a hearing . . ." Another was thrown in the floor. One bit the finger of a policeman but none of them struggled or tried to fight back into the gallery. Two others walked out without speaking

Police said later the men had every right to go into the gallery just as any citizen would but once they started to shout they were subject to removal. They said they had anticipated such a development and had plenty of men on hand.

The organization the men represent claims coast-to-coast membership but has no connection with either of Canada's two major labor bodies. A Labor Department spokesman said the group has been writing Mr. Mitchell for some time and said a number of the names had been shown up in correspondence are those of Communists.

Oddities

EYRE, Sask., April 27 (CP).—The natives say it could happen only at Eyre.

Passengers for Alaska saw the C.N.R. local stopped for half an hour two miles from the station. They asked why.

A porcupine was stuck in a small culvert. The train crew was trying to steam it out—but the steam hose was too short.

Next day the train stopped only a few minutes. There was a longer hose aboard. The train crew won.

And now the local is running right on schedule.

PRAGUE, Czecho-Slovakia, April 27 (AP).—The Prehodna Slova published a small announcement yesterday in its sport page, which said:

"We are forced to announce that members of the victorious volleyball team were celebrating their victory over another team till 3 a.m. on Saturday in a night club.

"Such behavior is unworthy of sportsmen and the Central Sokol Organization shall draw the attention of their club to this behavior."

CULVER CITY, Calif., April 27 (UNR.) — An unidentified couple drove from the Mojave Desert to Culver City with an annoying rattle under the hood of the car. The couple speed to the police station when an inspection revealed that a four-foot rattlesnake was coiled under the hood.

Soviet Rapprochement Impossible Says Tito

—Interpreting the News—

By J. M. ROBERTS, JR.
A.P. Foreign Affairs Analyst

Marshal Tito has taken a long step toward making himself more acceptable as an ally of the West in the cold war and, perhaps not too incidentally, to increase Yugoslavia's eligibility for economic aid.

For two years, since the ouster from Russia's Cominform because he put Yugoslav nationalism ahead of the international Communist revolution, Tito has expressed his regards for Russia, his hope that the Cominform leaders would see the light and laid stress on the permanency of true Communism in Yugoslavia.

RAPPOCHEMENT IMPOSSIBLE

Now he says that rapprochement with Russia is impossible. Yugoslavia will go ahead with her own program, which he calls socialism, but will "fight with propaganda and with international groups against creation of blocs and spheres of influence."

Toward this end, he advocates renewed friendship with Greece, Italy and Austria, three neighbors against whom he has pressed territorial claims. He proposes to resume diplomatic relations with Greece and negotiate a Trieste settlement with Italy. He does not specifically renounce claims in a small area in Austria, but his reference to improving relations with his northern neighbor suggests the opening of a door and perhaps an end to this dispute.

PLATE STRONG HAND

Just how much American influence can be seen in the Tito speech to his new Communist Parliament is a matter for speculation. But it is certain that the United States has played a strong hand in establishment of a new Government in Greece which escaped the "reactionary" label the Communists have been wont to apply, thereby making it possible for Tito to reverse himself in that respect.

It is noticeable, too, that Tito takes time out from his domestic problems, which occupied most of the speech, and from the immediacies of his neighborly relations, to promise to work against the "spheres of influence" in the United Nations to prevent that really represents a latent danger of world conflict."

DRAW OWN CONCLUSIONS

Heretofore Tito has been careful to limit his relations with the Eastern bloc together in his denunciation of such things. But now, according to partial reports of a three-hour speech, by omitting any specific reference to what the Communists like to call "Western Imperialism" he leaves his hearers to draw their own conclusions as to whom he is really talking about.

The theory of national Communism without devotion to international revolution — which means without devotion to the Imperialist plans of Russian Communism—is playing a very important role in the world these days.

Resume Work Or Be Fired, Dockers Told

LONDON, April 27 (CP). — The Dock Labor Board tonight warned striking London longshoremen they will be fired unless they return to work by Monday. Communists backing the week-old wildcat walkout again denounced the Government's use of troops to work ship cargoes.

"The Labor Government's repeated use of the armed forces to break strikes calls for the most energetic protests by the organized working-class movement," said a statement issued by the Communist Party's political committee.

PROTEST EXPULSION

The dockers are protesting the expulsion from membership in the Transport and General Workers' Union of three men, one an avowed Communist who led a maritime strike last Summer.

The Dock Labor Board reported 14,383 men on strike today; 11,084 still at work on 26 ships; 4,300 army, navy and R.A.F. personnel working 28 ships, and 70 ships idle.

The Dock Labor Board, with whom the dockers have to register before being allowed to work, issued its ultimatum tonight with, it is believed, the Labor Government's backing

A spokesman of the strike committee termed the ultimatum a "national issue"

Plan Airlift If Floods Hit

CALGARY, April 27 (CP).—Plans are being made here for an "airlift" to British Columbia if floods strike the West Coast province next month.

Both Trans-Canada Airlines and the Canadian Pacific Airlines have made arrangements for extra aircraft.

In 1948 the West Coast was cut off from the rest of Canada except by air travel and during June of that year the Calgary air port was the busiest it had ever been. Now with heavy snows still in the mountains, little run-off and the danger of a sudden warm spell and rain still cause flood conditions, the airlines are ready to go into action.

Woodward Confirmed As Envoy

WASHINGTON, April 27 (P. — Stanley Woodward, chief of protocol at the State Department, has been named United States Ambassador to Canada to succeed the late Laurence Steinhardt, President Truman announced today.

The appointment came a month after the popular Steinhardt met his death in the crash of a United States plane near Ottawa, while on the way to Washington.

Truman announced the appointment at the start of his first press conference to be held across the street from the White House in the former State, War and Navy Department building.

He told reporters smilingly that after a report of the selection leaked out in Canada, Woodward called Matt Connally, the President's appointment secretary, and asked when the prospective ambassador to Canada could see the President. Truman said Connally would have to see the protocol division of the State Department for that.

LONDON, April 27 (P. — Gross Soviet industrial production in the first three months of this year was 22 per cent higher than in the corresponding period last year, an official Russian report said today without—as usual—disclosing figures. It also disclosed that many branches of Soviet industry failed to meet production plans.

MOST DOCTORS IN Between 18,000 and 19,000 doctors, land and Wales, have joined the health service. for 88 per cent of all Uhses in Eng- newly-formed British national

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Uncle Wiggily Story

By Howard Garis

A STRANGE PARADE

While Uncle Wiggily was hopping down the road from his sky auto, to look for Teenie the turtle, that funny little frog was having a grand time. All around him stood many other turtles and many frogs. They had come from the water and by the Early Spring Land.

Uncle Wiggily's sky auto was stalled in Early Spring Land because of four flat tires.

"Take a good look at Teenie, the turtle!" croaked Jumpie, the big frog. "What do you see, my frog and turtle friends?" Jumpie asked.

"I see a turtle like one of us," answered a large turtle thrusting his head and neck out from between his two shells.

"Yes, but do you see the beautiful picture painted on his back?" asked Jumpie. "The picture was painted by Buster and Bunty in Uncle Wiggily's sky auto. And I am going back there with Teenie and have Bunty and Buster paint a picture on my back."

"That's just what I am going to do!" croaked a frog whose voice was not quite as loud nor as booming as Jumpie's. "Come on, my frogs, get ready! We'll parade down to Uncle Wiggily's sky auto and have Buster and Bunty paint pictures on all our backs."

"Come on, my froggie friends!"

"Will they do it, Teenie?" asked a turtle whose back shell was all green, being covered with duck weed where he had been swimming in a puddle. "Will Bunty and Buster paint pictures on our backs?"

"I think so," answered Teenie. "Buster and Bunty are very kind little rabbits. I am now going back to the sky auto and you may follow me down the road and ask Bunty and Buster to paint pictures on your backs."

"Come on!" croaked Jumpie, the frog.

So the strange parade started down the road of Early Spring Land toward the place where Uncle Wiggily's sky auto was parked under some trees. The four tires of the sky auto were still flat.

As the frogs led by Jumpie could hop much faster than Teenie and the other turtles could crawl, you can guess that the frogs would reach the sky auto first.

"But you should let me and the other turtles get there first," said Teenie to the frogs. "Because you don't know Buster and Bunty, and I do. I will introduce you to the rabbits."

"But you turtles are so slow!" complained Jumpie. "We frogs can't help jumping ahead of you."

"I'll tell you what we can do, Jumpie," croaked a big frog named Skippee. "We can hop backward. In that way we will go slowly enough so that we won't get ahead of the turtles. If we frogs hop backward which we can't do very fast, then we shall reach Uncle Wiggily's sky auto at the same time as Teenie and his friends."

"That's a good idea!" croaked Jumpie.

So the frogs hopped slowly backward, but still going toward the sky auto. And Teenie and his friends crawled frontward toward Uncle Wiggily's sky auto. There were many frogs and many turtles now moving evenly and together.

And it was this strange parade procession that Uncle Wiggily saw as he hopped down the road to look for Teenie to call him back to supper. Uncle Wiggily took one look. He rubbed his eyes and took another look. Then he twinkled his pink nose and took a third look.

"Hal! I am really seeing a very strange parade!" said the robust gentleman to himself. "A parade of frogs hopping backward and turtles crawling frontward led by Teenie himself. What does this mean?"

Just then Uncle Wiggily heard the siren of a police squad car. I'll tell you more about it tomorrow if the first April shower will bring a May flower for the raincoat to wear in its bulletproof when it goes to call on the umbrella.

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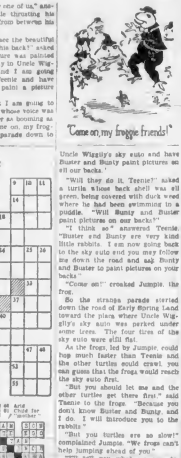
The Daily Cross-Word Puzzle



ACROSS

1 Bitter drink
6 To rail by
7 Ancient poem
8 Mineral paint
12 Pouch
13 Absent, outer garment
14 Cut out
16 Divided in portions
17 A lower (pl.)
18 To time
20 Perhaps, mistaken
21 Ancient Greek
23 Part of a bird
25 To lament
26 To cross
27 Shelve
28 Through
29 Fashions
30 Wraps (obs.)
31 River of England
32 A reel
33 Ah
34 Greek market place
35 Evil
37 Commas (pl.)
39 Sea eagle
40 Ere
41 At times
42 Sharpen
43 Wing
44 Ten pages
46 Classified
48 Gold in Spanish possession
50 Bedrock from which
51 Boating sport
52 Lady
53 Half of horse race
54 Yoself's curved pitching

DOWN

1 A worm
2 Ancient Gaul
3 Fragrance
4 Bewitched
5 Ancient Greek
6 Land measure
7 Kind of fish
8 Ere
9 Pressed
10 Sandhog
11 Pail buckles
12 Edge
15 Arthur Ring Arthur
19 (crumbled over
22 Ancient Greek
24 Alexandria's
25 The devil
26 Ancient
28 Gold spread
29 To fail
30 Pressured other
31 Vegetable
36 Ere (poet.)
38 Waste matter
39 Flying mammal
40 Ancient
42 Singing insect
43 Holds
45 Dressing stuff
47 Dinky's high note
48 One of a
49 Jumble words
50 Ere
52 A dictum of the Battle Pitch
54 Form of "be so"
55 Made into
56 To bring forth
60 Acid
61 Thule for "Thunder"

ANSWER TO YESTERDAY'S PUZZLE

Culbertson on Bridge

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South made his doubled three no trump contract in today's deal, first, by reaching the correct end position, and then by handling it properly.

South, dealer.
Both sides vulnerable

NORTH
♠ 7 5
♥ J 9 6 3
♦ Q 9 3 2
♣ 7 4 3

WEST
♠ K J 10 9 3
♥ K 8 7
♦ K J 6
♣ A 9

EAST
♠ 8 4 3
♥ Q 9 5
♦ 10 7 5 4
♣ 8 6 5

SOUTH
♠ A Q 6
♥ A 10 2
♦ A 8
♣ K Q J 10 6

The bidding:

South	West	North	East
1 ♣	1 ♠	Pass	Pass
1 NT	Double	Pass	Pass
Pass			

West might well have doubled one club instead of bidding a spade, and South was a little stgrasiave when he jumped to three no trump—but let's get to the play.

West opened the spade jack. South won with the queen and knocked out the club ace. West continued with a high spade. South played low, but, of course, had to win the next spade lead. South now cashed clubs until this position was reached:

North: ♥ J 9 6 3; ♦ Q 6
West: ♠ K 8; ♥ K 8; ♦ K J
East: ♠ Q 6 8; ♥ 10 7 4
South: ♠ A 10 2; ♥ A 9; ♦ 8

Now South cashed his last club, and West was in very serious difficulty! He could not throw the diamond jack—South would make two diamond tricks in that suit. If West threw a low heart, South could cash the heart ace, give East a heart trick, and then make a second heart trick himself, to round out the contract.

So West actually threw a spade—but this did him no good, either! South read the situation perfectly: he put down the heart ace. If West had unblocked the king, South could have given East a heart trick, as before; when West actually did not unblock, he was thrown in with the heart, and after he had cashed his one good spade, he had to lead from his diamonds into the combined tenace in dummy and declare a hand.

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Other Foods Than Spinach Rich in Iron

By DR. J. B. WARREN

While it is admitted that spinach is rich in iron and so builds up the blood, many children and adults do not like spinach. Therefore, it should be known that other dark green leaf vegetables such as beet greens, chard, dandelion and turnip tops are almost as good as spinach. Vegetables which can be eaten instead of spinach are cabbage, lettuce, cauliflower, celery. Fruits recommended are apples, apricots, grapes, lemons, oranges, prunes.

(Canadian Press Features Inc.)

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NUCOA, lb. 36¢
PARKAY, lb. 36¢

PEANUT BUTTER	Squirrel, 16-oz. jar	39c
MARMALADE	Nabob, Seville, 24-oz. jar	29c
PEACHES	Lunchour, 15-oz. tins	2 for 33c
HONEY	Beekist, Buckwheat (dark) 2-lb. carton	27c
PICKLES	Primrose, Sweet Mixed, 24-oz. jar	33c
FRUIT SALAD	Harvest, 15-oz. tin	27c
TOMATOES	Garden Valley, 28-oz.	2 for 29c
JELLY POWDERS	Nabob	3 for 23c

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ROGERS' SYRUP	2-lb. tin	26c
FLAKED TUNA	Tip Top Brand, ½'s, tin	27c
MAGIC BAKING POWDER	16-oz. tin	29c
FIVE ROSES FLOUR	5-lb. bag	37c
NABOB PORK AND BEANS	15-oz. tins	2 for 23c
WRAPPED BREAD	White or Brown, loaf	9c

Springtime is SALAD TIME!

★ TOMATOES	Tubes, Firm, Ripe, each	21c
★ CELERY	Crisp Pascal, lb.	13c
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CARROTS	Calif. bunches	2 for 21c
APPLES	Winesap, Extra Fancy	3 lbs. 29c
RHUBARB	Local, Field	2 lbs. 25c
POTATOES	Calif. New	4 lbs. 25c

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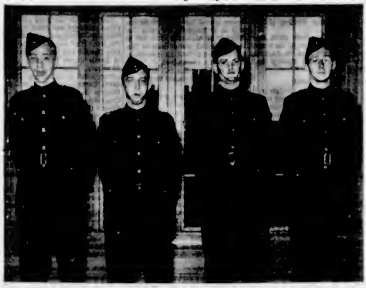
Vancouver Islanders Among Royal Roads Graduates



Four Victorians among 63 graduates of the senior academic year at Royal Roads Defence College, who graduate today, are (left to right) William C. Chester, Navy, William A. Neiles, Navy; Alan D. Wallis, Air Force; Richard J. Bell, Army.

Graduation ceremony at Royal Roads Defence College today marks first fully tri-service senior term to end at college. Nearly every province in Canada is represented by 140 cadets at Royal Roads. Senior graduating cadets shown above are Daniel M. Mainguy, Navy, of Duncan and Victoria, Michael C. Piddington, Air Force, Cliffside, B.C., and Eugene P. McLoughlin, Air Force, Saanichton.

Navy Announces Cadet Award Winners For Royal Roads Graduation Today

Award winners among the 63 senior term cadets at Royal Roads participating today in graduation services marking the end of two years' intensive training were announced yesterday by the Royal Canadian Navy.

The Governor-General's Silver Medal will be presented to Navy Cadet Stirling M. Rose, Ottawa, top senior term cadet academically, at graduation exercises this afternoon at the Canadian Services College.

Others to be honored are: H. C. Pitts, Army, Castlegar, B.C., winner of the Captain's Cup, awarded to the outstanding senior term cadet in athletic ability and sportsmanship; Ronald F. Holland, R.C.A.F., Kelowna, Director of Studies Cup, awarded to outstanding junior term cadet for athletic ability and sportsmanship; Ted S. Kolber, Army, Calgary, Governor-General's Bronze Medal awarded to top junior term cadet academically.

HIGH AVERAGE

Cadet Rose attained an average of 81 per cent, which entitles him to a first-class certificate, and Cadet Kolber, an average of 82.9 per cent.

Other recipients of first-class certificates, awarded for attaining a pass mark in all academic subjects, together with an overall average of 74 per cent or better, include senior term cadets D. O. Loomis, Army, Sorrel, P.Q.; I. S. Wishart, Navy, Toronto; Guy Arsenault, Army, Montreal; O. P. Harley, Army, Toronto; J. Y. L. Germain, Navy, Montreal.

Winner of the Sellers Officer of the Watch Telescope, awarded annually to the cadet confirmed as cadet wing commander in his senior year, is P. W. Crickard, Navy, Vancouver.

ADMIRAL MEADE PARTY

Head of the inspecting party at the graduation parade will be Vice-Admiral H. T. E. Grant, C.B.E., D.S.O., chief of naval staff.

Others in the party will be Major-General M. H. S. Penhale, C.B.E., G.O.C., Western Command; Air Vice-Marshal C. R. Dunlap, C.B.E., Air Officer Commanding, North West Air Command, and Rear Admiral H. G. De Wolf, C.B.E., D.S.O., D.S.C., flag officer, Pacific Coast.

A physical training display on the playing field at the college and a graduation ball in the evening will round out the day's activities.

Other graduating senior terms cadets, by provinces, are:

GRADUATES

British Columbia: Charles P. Bellamy, Navy, North Vancouver; William C. Chester, Navy, Victoria; William A. Neiles, Navy, Victoria; Alan D. Wallis, R.C.A.F., Victoria; Richard J. Bell, Army, Victoria; Daniel M. Mainguy, Navy, Victoria; Constantine Cukanas, Navy, Vancouver; P. W. Crickard, Navy, Vancouver; Roger D. Sweeney, Navy, West Vancouver; George H. Lewes, R.C.A.F., Vancouver; Eugene P. McLoughlin, R.C.A.F., Saanichton; Michael C. Piddington, R.C.A.F., Cliffside; Maurice A. Rhodes, R.C.A.F., New Westminster; Peter M. Stiles, R.C.A.F., Trail; W. C. Allison, Army, Trail; J. W. Lawrence, Army, Vancouver; H. C. Pitts, Army, Castlegar; V. H. Sansum, Army, Vancouver.

Alberta: J. M. Cumming, Navy; T. D. McGiven, R.C.A.F.; J. L. Cuddas, Navy.

Saskatchewan: O. P. Ilsley, Navy; S. W. Riddell, Navy; A. C. Moffatt, Army.

Manitoba: L. D. Taylor, Navy.

Ontario: J. S. Kerr, Navy; D. S. Lochead, Navy; I. P. McKim, Navy; M. C. W. Miller, Navy; R. D. Okros, Navy; S. M. Ross, Navy; Joseph Werner, Navy; George Wisner, Navy; L. S. Wishart, Navy; J. R. Arnold, R.C.A.F.; R. J. Cockburn, R.C.A.F.; S. R. Easson, R.C.A.F.; J. A. Lauzebback, R.C.A.F.; J. P. Pagnutti, R.C.A.F.; W. D. Sullivan, R.C.A.F.; R. K. Swartman, R.C.A.F.; K. P. Black, Army, R. W. Bull, Army; E. M. Day, Army; J. K. Devlin, Army; O. P. Hammond, Army; O. P. Harley, Army; W. R. Knowles, Army; D. C. Patterson, Army; R. S. Prescott, Army; B. P. Simons, Army; R. M. Wilbers, Army.

Quebec: J. A. Barbeau, Navy; H. P. Desmarles, Navy; J. Y. L. Germain, Navy; Michel Patteson, Navy; M. Y. J. N. Perrault, Navy; R. P. Smyth, Navy; L. J. M. Lalonde, R.C.A.F.; Guy Arsenault, Army; D. O. Loomis, Army; S. W. E. Peplers, Army.

New Brunswick: W. B. Hickman, Navy.

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Canadian Legion Pension Officials Due Here June 7 to Review Scene

Three officials of the Dominion Command of the Canadian Legion, Ottawa, will arrive in Victoria June 7 to review pension problems of veterans in Victoria.

They are Richard Hale, chief pensions officer of the Canadian Legion, Capt. Allan Piper, deputy pensions officer, who is a double amputee, and F. Robertson, assistant pensions officer.

BRANCHES INVITED

An official invitation is being extended to all executives of Canadian Legion branches in the district, including Esk Sooing Island and Duncan areas, to attend a meeting to be held in the Naval Veterans' Branch of the Canadian Legion on Wednesday, June 7 at 8 p.m.

Meanwhile, the zone council of the Legion at a meeting held last night, passed a resolution urging the Minister of National Defence to take immediate steps to complete plans for provision of an urban centre in the Victoria district for reserve air force activities and the air cadet squadron.

Another resolution dealing with a recent report from Italy that hundreds of Canadian war graves did not bear the name of regimental units was ordered referred to the Dominion Command of the Legion for investigation and report at the national convention in May.

A further investigation will be made by the council in the employment of war veterans at the Memorial Arena.

The council will also investigate the rental rates of the various Central Mortgage & Housing Corporation projects in the district.

FIRST BALLOONIST

The first human to make a balloon ascent was Jean Francois Pilatre de Rozier, a native of Metz, France, who sailed into the clouds on October 15, 1783.

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Cadets to Entertain Prior to "At Home"

Personal Notes—

The Senior Cadets at Royal Roads will entertain at dinner at the Chez Marcel, Colwood, this evening prior to the "at home" to be held at the college. Professor and Mrs. Lorne A. Brown and Professor and Mrs. C. C. Cook will be special guests. Cadet R. K. Swartman is in charge of arrangements.

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Here From Ottawa

Surgeon Captain A. McCallum, O.B.E., V.R.D., M.D., Medical Director General, R.C.N., of Ottawa, who is at present on an annual inspection trip to the West Coast, is the guest of Surgeon Commander and Mrs. T. B. McLean at their home on West Thompson Avenue.

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Plan Dinner at Armoury

Lieut.-Col. Walter Mosedale, commanding officer The Canadian Scottish Regiment (Princess Mary's), with Mrs. Mosedale, active officers of the regiment and their wives, will entertain at a private dinner in the officers' mess at Bay Street Armoury this evening in honor of the retiring commanding officer, Lieut.-Col. R. D. Travis and Mrs. Travis. Covers will be laid for 60. After dinner both modern and Highland dancing will be enjoyed.

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Honored at Luncheon

Medical officers at H.M.C.S. Naden entertained at a luncheon yesterday in honor of Surgeon Captain A. McCallum, O.B.E., V.R.D., M.D., Medical Director General R.C.N., of Ottawa. Among those present were a number of ex-naval medical officers who are now practising in Victoria. Covers were laid for 14.

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Mr. and Mrs. Arthur W. Riley, 946 Victoria Avenue, will celebrate their 40th wedding anniversary today. They were married at Christ Church Cathedral, Vancouver, with Rev. C. E. Owen and Rev. Canon F. d'Easum of New Westminster officiating. Mr. and Mrs. Riley came to Victoria and resided in the Gordon Head district for 30 years before moving to Oak Bay where they have lived for about two years. Mr. and Mrs. Riley have two daughters, Mrs. Helen M. McVie and Miss E. Kathleen Riley.

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Miss Cory Moore, Miss Jeannette Paterson and Miss Pat Sparks went over to Vancouver Wednesday to spend a few days visiting friends while staying at the Georgia Hotel.

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Mrs. J. Heller entertained at her home on Burdett Avenue on Wednesday evening in honor of Miss Betty Aitken, a May bride-elect. On arrival the guest of honor was presented with a corsage of pink and white carnations while her mother, Mrs. R. O. Aitken, and her aunt, Mrs. C. Coleman, received corsages of pale yellow roses. Miss Aitken also received a lovely china centerpiece from the assembled guests. During the evening games were played, winners being Mrs. Aitken, Mrs. E. Bullivant, Mrs. M. McVane and Miss Aitken. The invited guests were Mrs. J. Gregg, Mrs. Peter Bolton, Mrs. M. Grice, Mrs. D. W. Wrotnowski and Misses A. Rooney, May Murray, M. Roberts, C. Graham, Phyllis Capes, Isobel Couper and Adele Piani.

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Miss Sharon Smith will entertain at dinner on Friday evening at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Beverley Smith, 2274 Cranmore Road, prior to the "at home" to be held at Royal Roads. Her guests will be Marion Jones, Maureen Quigg, Cadets Bill Armstrong, George Sheppard and Geoffrey Mehr.

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Mrs. John Balfour of Regina is visiting friends in the city and she is a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. K. O. MacKay, 3161 Wascana Street.

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A triple christening was held on Sunday in St. Michael's and All Angels' Church, with Rev. N. J. Codkin officiating, when the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Slater received the names Maureen Louise. Her godparents are Mrs. C. J. Wright and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Slater. The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Boyer received the names Douglas Arthur, and his godparents are Miss Peggy Gillies, Mr. Ray Oliver and Mr. Harold Slater. The son of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Oliver was given the names Kenneth Ray, Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Preece and Mr. Joe Robbins being the godparents. After the ceremony tea was served at the home of the grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Oliver, East Saanich Road, where triple christening cakes centred the table.

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Mrs. A. S. MacKay, Pandora Avenue, entertained at the tea hour on Sunday afternoon in honor of her grandmother, Mrs Catherine Davy of Cowichan Bay, who recently celebrated her 90th birthday. Among those present were Mrs. Davy's daughter, Mrs. F. Whitworth of Cowichan Bay; her son, Mr. Garnet Davy of Victoria, and granddaughters Catherine MacKay, Nancy Margetish of Cayouse Beach, Yoshoi, and Bernice Davy, and and three of her five great-grandchildren. Others present were Mr. and Mrs. T. Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. J. Pearce, Miss W. Pearce, Mrs. K. Moore, Mrs. D. De Cruchy, Miss C. Moore, Mrs. M. Bruce, Mrs. E. Pruvett, Mr. F. De Cruchy and Mr. A. MacKay.

Plan Tea

LADYSMITH, April 27.—Plans for a Florence Nightingale tea, to be held in St. John's Hall, May 13, were promoted at a recent meeting of Ladysmith nurses' section, Cowichan-Newcastle Chapter, R.N.A., B.C. Committees appointed were Mrs. Evelyn Gregson, convener of tea; home cooking, Mrs. Ann Quayle and Mrs. Margaret Duncan; plants and flowers, Mrs. Mabel Quayle; table decoration, Mrs. Jessie Jones; hostess, Mrs. Eleanor Campbell; drawing and publicity, Mrs. Margaret Little.

The meeting heard an interesting report by delegate Mrs. Ann Quayle of the recent three-day annual meeting of the Registered Nurses' Association held at Kelowna.

Miss Dolman Heads Nanaimo Women's Club

NANAIMO, April 27.—Miss H. Dolman was named president of the Business and Professional Women's Club of Nanaimo at the annual meeting.

Other officers elected were: Miss C. Lawrence, vice-president; Miss M. Davidson, recording-secretary; Mrs. E. Challenor, corresponding-secretary, and Miss N. Ollinour, treasurer.

Installation of officers will take place at a banquet to be held in May.

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The Hon. Mrs. Nancy Hodges, M.L.A., second from left, who received an international honorary membership in Beta Sigma Phi Sorority at the Founder's Day banquet held at the Empress Hotel is pictured with Mrs. T. H. Johns (left) social sponsor for city council; Mrs. Grace Kerkham, president of city council and Mrs. Maude Hammond, international representative.

Activities Planned at "Y"

The following is the list of meetings to be held at the Y.W.C.A. for the week April 30 to May 6.

On Monday a leathercraft class will be held at 7.30 p.m. and the Junior Y-Teens will hold a supper meeting commencing at 6 p.m. followed by sheetcraft and dancing. The Y-Ens will hold a social at 7.30 p.m. The Club will meet Monday at 7.30 p.m. instead of Tuesday for festival rehearsal.

The Sub-Debs will meet on Tuesday at 7 p.m. and the program committee will hold a special meeting at the home of Mrs. A. McDuffee, 148 Battery Street, commencing at 7.30 p.m.

On Wednesday, members of the Thursday Nite Club will enter the decorated tables display in the national class to be held at the Empress Hotel. The Orchesis Wives Club will meet at 7.30 p.m. and the Christadelphian Club will meet at 8 p.m. when Miss Edna Lawrence will speak on "Child Psychology."

The Thursday Nieces will have English lessons at 4 p.m. on Thursday, followed by the regular spring meeting at 6 p.m. The Square Dance Club will meet in the recreation room from 8 to 10 p.m.

Friday the Girls' Nite Inter-Club Council will meet at 4.15 p.m. and the 780 Y-Teens will hold a box social at 7.30 p.m.

On Saturday the Y-Ens will hold a rummage sale in the recreation room from 1 to 3 p.m.

Doris Quin and Dick Lam Take Vows at Bride's Home

At a pretty wedding which took place at the home of her parents, Saturday evening, April 22, Doris, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Quin, 1728 Stanley Avenue, exchanged vows with Dick Lam, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lam Hinl, 1021 Pandora Avenue. Rev. Dr. W. O. Wilson read the nuptial service in a setting of daffodils, tulips and snapdragons.

The pretty bride was attired in white starched lace over white satin, fashioned with V-shaped neck finished with a rolled scalloped collar, puff sleeves and ballerina-style shirt, the bodice fastened with tiny buttons. Her bonnet—headdress was of white net and she carried mauve orchids showered with lily of the valley. Mr. Albert Eng gave his sister-in-law in marriage.

The young couple were unattended.

At the reception given for members of the immediate families, the toast was given by Mr. John Yuen.

Leaving for the Mainland for a honeymoon in Vancouver and Seattle, the bride wore a Glen plaid suit with green gabardine topcoat, brown straw hat trimmed with flowers, and brown accessories.

Mr. and Mrs. Lam will make their home in Victoria.

Pottery Making Explained

PARKSVILLE, April 27.—An interesting display of the art of pottery making was given by Mrs. D. O. Loretta, a former resident of California, at the Parksville Girl Guides Association.

Several types of pottery making was demonstrated and glazing and painting explained. Some colorful pieces of china were on display. At the close of the demonstration refreshments were served and proceeds are for the Guides' Summer camp fund.

A rummage sale will be held by the Guide group on May 1 at the Parksville Parish Hall.

League Plans Dance On May 12

Members of the Solarium Junior League will hold a Spring dance at the Royal Victoria Yacht Club on Friday, May 12, with dancing from 9 to 1 to the music of Bernie Porter's orchestra. Plans for the dance were discussed at the recent meeting of the league. Mrs. J. S. Speakman is in charge of arrangements, assisted by Misses Audrey Fraser and Greta Moth.

A concert by the Victoria Philharmonic Orchestra will be held at the High School on June 2, sponsored by the Solarium Junior League, with Miss Grace Adams and Mr. Pierre Timp as guest artists. The concert committee include Miss Marguerite Hinkman, convener, Miss Mary Duncan and Mrs. J. English.

Mrs. D. Lunney reported that $95.81 had been realized from checking activities during the past three months.

Mrs. Milne Heads Club

NANAIMO, April 27.—Women's Canadian Club of Nanaimo on Monday elected Mrs. W. B. Milne president, succeeding Mrs. Jas. B. Curren who becomes immediate past president.

Other officers chosen were: Mrs. W. A. Nicholson, first vice-president; Mrs. Ferris Neave, second vice-president; Mrs. T. E. Bennell, secretary; Mrs. Harold Chataway, treasurer; Mrs. Clare Wilson, literary recorder; executive, Mrs. Geo. Kelly, Mrs. W. L. Burnham, Mrs. H. C. R. Davis, Mrs. Gordon Bush, Mrs. Joseph Kneen, Mrs. F. W. Robinson, Mrs. W. P. McDonald.

The club decided to sponsor a $25 prize for the most outstanding student of Canadian history in Grade XII, possibly as an annual award.

Date of the annual garden party was set at June 7 and the annual luncheon meeting on May 16 with Willard Ireland, Victoria archivist, speaker.

The club heard Hon. A. Adrien Roberts, K.C., M.A., LL.B., High Commissioner for South Africa, on the subject of racial problems in his country, who was accompanied by his wife Miss D'Aurie Corrie entertained with vocal selections.

ILKESTON, Derbyshire, England.—Residents here were less stops rearrange because the present halls allow row-deck travelers a view of second-story bedrooms.

International Sorority Honors Conferred Upon Nancy Hodges

At the Founders' Day banquet of Beta Sigma Phi Sorority held at the Empress Hotel last evening, an international honorary membership in the sorority was conferred upon Hon. Mrs. Nancy Hodges, M.L.A., guest speaker.

This honor has been given only 13 outstanding women in the world, among whom are Mme. St. Laurent, Mme. Curie, Elsie Kenney and Senator Ira Phillips.

FINE AIMS

In her address, Mrs. Hodges said that she felt that the sorority principle of "Life, Learning and Friendship" was one of the finest to which girls and women could dedicate themselves. She said she thought that friendship is so much needed in the world today and that this one aim of the sorority could do much to stimulate friendship in all parts of the world.

"I think that in the final analysis the peace of the world rests strongly in the hands of women," Mrs. Hodges declared. She stated, too, that she thinks that women's groups such as the sorority have a great part to play in raising moral standards.

With regard to learning, Mrs. Hodges stated that in order to live fully it is necessary to learn the things which are worth while, and in order to enrich the outlook on life, it is essential to have an open mind, Mrs. Hodges emphasized.

She said that she felt extremely fortunate to be honored by such an organization.

The guest speaker was introduced by Mrs. Grace Kerkham, president of the sorority's city council and the vote of thanks was extended by Miss Irene Scott, council vice-president.

Seated at the head table which was centred with a bowl of yellow roses, the sorority emblem, were Mrs. Hodges, Miss Vera Waller, Miss Darlaine Woodburn, Mrs. Peggy Joyce, Miss Nell Bilodeau, Mrs. T. H. Johns, Mrs. Kerkham, Mrs. Maude Hammond, international representative, Miss Viola McIlilah, president, City Council, Vancouver, Mrs. Winnie Wardman, Miss Betty Prangnell and Miss Barbara Munro.

Messages were read from Walter W. Ross, founder of Beta Sigma Phi and Mrs. Elsie Gunther, international representative who recently visited sorority in Victoria.

RITUAL OF JEWELS

The toast to the new ritual of jewels members was given by Miss Darlaine Woodburn of Omicron Chapter. The seven pledges from Zeta Chapter who received the ritual of jewels degree were Mrs. Betty Armstrong, Mrs. Norman Jones, Misses Edith Scaiff, Peggy Breese, Joyce Cannon, Lucille Smith and Frances James. Those from Xi Chapter included Misses Viola Wain, Peggy Clark, Elgin Bellingham, Sylvia and Rose Lee, Ruth Veitch and Alma Campbell. Miss Irie Ollien was not present at the banquet.

The ritual of jewels degree was also conferred on Mrs. Hodges and Mrs. Thelma Johns, social sponsor for City Council. Mrs. Kerkham conducted the ritual.

During the sorting the prize winning song "Beta Sigma Phi Love Story" was sung by Miss Catherine Dash who was accompanied at the piano by Miss Joyce Richardson.

Following the ceremonies a reception was held when Mrs. Hodges and the new members were received.

Plan Spring Tea May 18

The April meeting of the Junior V.O.N. was held recently at the home of Mrs. F. A. Hassell, with Mrs. C. Fisher in the chair.

Mrs W. Findlay announced that the date of the Spring tea to be held in the Douglas Room of the Hudson's Bay Company had been changed to May 18.

Further plans for the children's fair to be held June 8 were made and all members were asked to make this one of the best efforts.

Two guests were present at the meeting as representatives of the Dental Nurses' Association. They were Miss Twyman and Miss Boyce Miss Boyce addressed the members, informing them that dental nurses were anxious to assist them in our work undertaken. This offer of assistance was gratefully accepted by the president.

Daffodil Tea At Elk Lake

The Elk Lake Community Church held a successful daffodil tea recently at the home of Mrs. Herbert Amos, Elk Lake, with Mrs D. Earle officially opening the event.

The visitors were welcomed by Amos, assisted by Mrs. McIntosh.

There were prettily decorated stalls with home cooking, cut flowers and plants. Mrs. Wall won the table decorating contest.

During the afternoon Mrs. R. M McIntosh presented vocal solos accompanied by Miss Olive Brown.

Mrs. Nelson Edwards was in charge of tea arrangements

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Dedicate Alter Cloth At Memorial Service

A memorial service for deceased members and dedication of an altar cloth presented by Mr. D. C. McDowell in memory of his wife, the late Beulah McDowell, past chief, was held on Tuesday evening in Inland Temple No. 8, Pythian Sisters.

The impressive ceremony was conducted by Mrs. Wynne Davies, district deputy grand chief, who was assisted by the following members of over 34 years' service in the temple: Mrs. I. Lonsdale, Mrs. C. Cogdill, Mrs. V. Barry, Mrs. D. Elliott, Mrs. W. McKay, Mrs. D. Dodd, Mrs. C. Carter and Miss V. Mesher.

The eulogy and dedication was given by Miss Vera Mesher, grand protector, while the altar cloth was placed on the altar by Mrs. Ina McDowell. Carrying lighted candles to the four colors of the order, the officers and degree staff, in their white dresses added dignity to the scene around the altar.

Present for the memorial hour were Knights of Pat West Lodge No. 1, Knights of Pythias, H. E. Brown, grand vice-chancellor and visiting members of Crystal City Lodge No. 61. The regular meeting was presided over by Mrs. Kay Stewart. Reports were received on the successful birthday tea held in the Legion Memorial Hall on April 20. Refreshments were served by courtesy of Knights of Pat West Lodge No. 1.

Barbara Brent's BUYS AND WHYS
A WEEKLY INFORMATION SERVICE

MONTREAL, April 27th.—Every woman knows that lovely hair and an exciting personality go hand in hand! That's why I'm so pleased with my discovery of a home permanent that's really kind to my hair! Richard Hudnut, who are the specialists in permanents, have this Waving Lotion that makes it "soft-softness"! And now they've developed a new conditioner for the waving lotion that has literally proved to be 32% more effective! This means smoother, softer, stronger curls—curls that are stronger too!

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FREE COPY of the amazingly illustrated "Good-year Airfoam" booklet!

Now — In Good Time For Mother's Day — send for this free booklet of that describes the perfect Mother's Day gift! The famous MORPHY-RICHARDS hair AUTOMATIC brush, ideal for Mother, will be one of mother's proud possessions for many Mothers Days to come! For this fully automatic beauter with its wonderful new improvements is absolutely made by expert British craftsmen for years and years of lovelier hair ahead! You'll find it at leading department stores — so reasonably priced—at $22.50! *So do write to me now*—Barbara Brent, 1411 Crescent St., Montreal, P.Q. — *for information you'll want to know about the wonderful gift you'll want to buy for Mother!*

Here's Something in lighter 'n' brighter spring house-cleaning! KERRISINE "FLOWER FRESH" Brooms have a new, swappy and energy. Energize works wonders cleaning tubs, basins, tiling and refrigerators ... stubborn stains vanish and porcelain surfaces just shine! And you can easily get rid of ugly grease spots on your rugs and upholstery with Kerrisine. Use it to remove grease scars from winter clothes and dresses before storing—remember, grease marks are boiling spots for moths! Energize is absolutely safe—contains no acids nor caustics! You'll find it's a household "must"—take my advice and get Energize on your shopping list today—at drug and department stores for as little as 35c.

News For Mothers Of Teen-age Daughters! — Gossard has created a pretty, girdle that is a wonder! It's GOSSARD-DEBI Made of light, airy material that is a wink — and a nod — Gossard-Debi is all the young girl needs for a slim, trim figure! Then wonder-working girdle weigh just a few ounces, yet moulds every bump, bulge! Do choose one of these Gossard-Debi Girdles for your daughter! They're available in several different styles at better stores everywhere—and remember, quality goes! And, by the way, there are Jaquen Gossard foam bras for every figure type and age group!

Who Could Be Nicer than to hear this and about you, Which that woman with the dandy head? Well, here's a golden opportunity for you to make sure your hair is lovely! *A 50c bottle of KREMI SHAMPOO can be yours for just 10c. Simply send 10c to me*—Barbara Brent, 1411 Crescent St., Montreal, P.Q.—*and I'll send you a regular 50c bottle of Kremi Shampoo.* I know you'll like it! It has a very special "miracle" ingredient called "Polinol" that leaves your hair cleaner than ever before. What's more, Kremi Shampoo has a natural oil base—so, drying up your hair as shampoos based on detergent formula tend to be.

Tips Taken A Tip from a fashion model! I know, this may be good health and beauty—that's why she makes a habit of this beauty habit! ... she drinks the juice of one fresh lemon in a glass of water first thing on arising every morning! She says it peels her up wonderfully and helps keep her skin fresh and clear. You see, she has hands because that "tip you up inside", this natural fruit juice gently helps your system regulate itself — helping you keep regular the healthful way! So for health and beauty's sake, keep a lemon handy! Squeeze the juice! Pick up a new idea—get a bright CALIFORNIA LEMONS — they're the finest, purest of all!

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For Women you can't help being a little practical about flying. It's such a lovely time of year that it makes us want to freshen up our homes and make them as lovely as possible. You, and, of course, the basis of loveliness is personal daintiness. Don't risk odor offence! Be fastidious about! Just make sure you've a bottle of Lysol NONSPRAY—it's the truly effective liquid antiseptic-germicide! Did you know that many doctors recommend it? It's safe to use—doesn't harm fabrics—and it's truly gentle to the skin. Just a few seconds with Nonspray stops perspiration before it begins! So remember to buy it too ... with its convenient, completely sanitary applicator!

Hair's Beauty Tips from the Hollywood Stars! Hair's the crowning glory of a star's beauty! Hair's the first thing you see in a movie star! Hair's the last thing you see in a movie star! Hair's the thing that makes a movie star! Hair's the thing that makes a movie star! Hair's the thing that makes

Gracie "Buys British"

Photo by George P. T. Simpson.

Gracie Fields, a Briton to the last, is marking her United States and Canadian tours by "Buying British" in time with the current drive in Great Britain. Here she chats with Mrs. R. C. Coldwell, manageress of the Piccadilly Shop, while on a shopping tour of Victoria yesterday.

Ambitious Program

School Sports Will Start Two-Day Esquimalt Fete

School sports at Bullen Park, Esquimalt, will touch off a two-day Esquimalt Day celebration on Friday, May 5, at 1:30 p.m., it was announced yesterday.

At 3 p.m. the Army and Navy tug-of-war teams will test their strength. Refreshments will follow.

A carnival will be held at the Fraser Street Hall at 6:30 p.m. to be followed by a sunset ceremony at 8 p.m. by the Royal Canadian Navy band. The ceremony will be held on Esquimalt Road opposite Esquimalt Memorial Park. A dance will be held at the Fraser Street Hall at 8 p.m.

On Saturday, May 6, a huge parade will get under way at 10 a.m. The route will be from Dominion Road through Esquimalt Road to Canteen Road.

Troops in the parade will pass the saluting base in front of the Esquimalt Municipal Hall where Vice-Admiral R. C. De Wolf will take the salute.

At 2:30 p.m. the soap box derby will get under way off Esquimalt Road. Drill team displays will feature in the evening's entertainment commencing at 7 p.m. on Esquimalt Road opposite the municipal hall. The display will be followed by a carnival and later at 9 p.m. by a street dance.

BUS'S INDIAN COAL

NEW DELHI (CP)—India is supplying almost 500,000 tons of coal to Australia. Tenders submitted by the Indian firms for 200,000 tons were accepted by the state of Victoria and the Commonwealth Government has ordered 280,000 tonn.

Legal Threats Continue Over Building Shutdown

Battle of threats of legal action in connection with the current construction shutdown continued yesterday between representatives of the Victoria Building Industries Exchange and the United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners (A.F.L.-T.L.C.).

George Wheaton, chairman of the Exchange's labor relations committee, announced that the Exchange had decided to take legal steps "in an endeavour to permit resumption of normal construction activity."

Mr. Wheaton declined to disclose the exact nature of the "legal steps," other than to state that the Exchange planned a "test case" of some sort.

Union officials thought the employer group might be attempting to secure an injunction against picketing of some major construction job, now closed.

Result of the "test," according to Mr. Wheaton, would "decide" whether the 18 member contractors of the Exchange would re-open their jobs, closed since April 3.

L.R.B. REPLIES

Meanwhile, a carpenter's union official announced receipt of an answer to the union's recent application to the Labor Relations Board for permission to prosecute a number of Exchange members for alleged violation of the I.C.A. Act in shutting down their jobs.

By way of reply, the board stated that it is planning to call a joint meeting of the contractors and the union to discuss the charges, he said.

States Canada Could Free Grip on China

A writer back from a "fact-finding" trip to devastated China told a grim story to members of the Victoria Cosmopolitan Club last night.

Addressing a near-capacity audience in the Club Screen, Miss Muriel Cordeaux argued that Russian Communism could not hold China if Canada intervened.

BECAUSE OF PROMISES

Miss Cordeaux said Russia's power is great in China today because of promises of food and clothing, equal distribution of land, and other essentials.

"There are ten million people starving in China and these unfortunate people are taking Russia's promises at face value and giving Communism their support.

"Those who feed China will control the country. They dislike the Americans and British but think highly of Canadians. They would run to us if we sent them food," Miss Cordeaux said.

"We must see they are not starved."

Her five-point program for Canada to adopt should be compassion, tolerance, co-operation, peace and brotherly love.

INLAND NAVIGATION

The St. Lawrence River is navigable to ocean-going vessels inland for 600 miles, as far as Montreal.

Saanich Reeve Assailed For Statements on Hall

Saanich Reeve Joseph W. Casey took it on the chin from his council last night because of statements he made in connection with the new Sidney-Saanich Street fire hall and a proposed draining scheme.

"I was so mad when I read that report I went out and pacded four rows of spuds," declared Councillor Leslie H. Passmore.

After several councillors went after Reeve Casey for his remarks which Councillor F. P. Cummins said made "us look like a bunch of fools," the reeve admitted he had spoken out of turn.

Councillor George Austin, who previously had sizzedly criticized Reeve Casey for making the statements, said, "The reeve made a mistake. He admits it. It's all over as far as I'm concerned."

Councillor Leslie H. Passmore asked the reeve if he is in favor of the fire hall. The reeve replied in the affirmative. He replied in the negative when asked by the councillor if he was last week.

PRETORIA, South Africa (CP)—Natives have become the biggest users of the Union's railways, according to statistics recently published here. Supply of sufficient coaches is a major problem for the South African railways.

Optimist Head Here to Install New Officers

The international president of the Optimist Club was the guest of honor of the Victoria group at a dinner meeting in the Windermere Hotel last night.

He is Frank Sitenko, official reporter for the Foreign Relations Committee of the Senate, Washington, D.C.

Mr. Sitenko said the young people of today have every opportunity to play an important role in all walks of life as long as they don't admit defeat.

The role of Optimism has never been greater, he said.

When he was elected International president last June, Senator Vandenberg asked him: "What have you got to be optimistic about?"

WON'T BE HARD

"After seeing the good work of Optimist Clubs through the country," the speaker declared, "it won't be hard to tell him now."

Mr. Sitenko installed 1950-51 officers of the local club. He was introduced by Harry Renvie, lieutenant-governor for the district, and welcomed to the city by Ald. Frank Mulliner.

Twelve-year-old Peter Coleman, winner of the junior oratorical contest for Greater Victoria, also spoke. President George Gordon was in the chair.

City Supervisor Gets Scholarship

George Grant, of Victoria, was one of two women and four men awarded scholarships for post-graduate training in physical education, it was announced yesterday by the Health Department at Ottawa.

Mr. Grant, at present supervisor of physical education for the Greater Victoria School Board, will go to the University of Washington for a master's degree in physical training.

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Pretty Young Evangelist Handles Own Interview

By RON BAIRD

A pert, bird-bright ten-year-old arrived in Victoria Thursday to begin an eight-day job of converting diet soda.

Pretty Renee Marie sat in her hotel room and, with the assurance that would do an adult credit, told how she had seen a "vision" at the age of four and was "glad that the Lord called on me in this souls."

She will open her first meeting at the Gideon Tidings Tabernacle at 8 p.m. Sunday and nightly at 7.30.

HANDLES INTERVIEW

Dressed in white dress, Renee handled the interview without help from her father, Jack Marie or tutor, Ruby May James.

"I love to preach. There is an outbreak of revival all over and I feel that I am doing my duty," Renee said.

She saw her "vision" in Los Angeles at the age of four. In the six intervening years, Renee has seen 13 countries, converted "24,000 people" and been around the world twice.

TRAVELED WITH FATHER

Born in Chicago, Renee was carried in a bassinette in the rear seat of the Marie car and taken on the first of her father's evangelical tours.

Her father has given up active preaching himself because he thinks that "Renee is doing the job better."

British Columbia is the first Canadian province she has preached in. Her last Canadian stop before Victoria was in Vancouver. This is her first visit here.

Renee can sing in Eskimo, Chinese, Aborigine, Welsh, Spanish, Russian, Italian, Malayan, and, of course, English.

No precocious "child wonder," Renee, nevertheless gives the impression that they are talking to an adult.

SEVERAL DOLLS

Except when the question of dolls comes up.

She has several, representing different nationalities, but has to leave them at home when she's globe-girdling. Stamp collecting is another hobby she is interested in.

She sings "real loud in a strong voice" and "counts on the Lord and offerings from converts" to defray travel expenses.

Jack Marie, who could easily pass for a business executive, is Renee's campaign manager but does not wish to have his daughter ordained as a minister.

"I don't feel like having Renee made a novelty or a spectacle. There are children who have been ordained at an early age but I would rather have her travel as a little girl with a message."

Next stop is Honolulu and then on to Australia.

Child Evangelist Arrives Here

—Colonist Photo

Globe-hopping Renee Marie, ten-year-old evangelist, arrived in Victoria Thursday for eight-day stay in city. She will preach at Gideon Tidings Tabernacle, starting Sunday.

More Serious Traffic Charge Confronts Acquitted Sergeant

Sgt. Thomas Stevenson, Victoria Police Department, was remanded until May 4 when he appeared in Saanich police court yesterday charged with dangerous driving.

An earlier charge of careless driving against Sgt. Stevenson was dismissed January 27 by Magistrate Henry C. Hall.

Both charges arose out of an accident October 24, when a car driven by Sgt. Stevenson was in collision with Murray Eastman, 1441 Bonair Place.

Crown Counsel Claude L. Harrison said the decision to abandon an appeal against the first acquittal under the Provincial Motor Vehicle Act and to lay a new charge under the Criminal Code was made before Mr. Justice A. D. Macfarlane entrained the provincial traffic law.

FINES RECORDED

Evan Hanburn, 1750 Graham Street, was fined $35 on a careless driving charge arising from an accident on the Saanich Road April 11. Hanbury struck a tree.

U.N. RUSSIAN-BORN

The foundations of the Charter of the United Nations were laid at the Conference of Foreign Ministers at Moscow in 1943.

John Smith, Coward Road, was fined $40 for driving while his licence was under suspension.

R. L. Chase, Claremont Road, was fined $25 on a careless driving charge which arose from an accident on Quadra Street April 23.

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Urges Year-Round Basis For Area's Tourist Trade

A year-round tourist business for Seattle and Puget Sound area, which includes Victoria, was advocated by a Seattle businessman to members of the Call Bay Kiwanis Club last night.

Webster Harrison, former chairman of the Washington State Advertising and Publicity Committee, and past president of the Washington State Press Club, in a joint West Seattle and Call Bay Kiwanis Club meeting, spoke on "Its Time to Expand Our Tourist Industry."

TO FOLLOW UP WORK

"Our problem now is to follow up the ground work that has already been done and expand that three months period in the summer by adding three months on either end," he declared.

Mr. Harrison said that Seattle was going out on a year-round promotion scheme to draw the tourists to that city and surrounding area.

He said sentiment that the August attraction we have is that all water and there—and the terrain behind it either on the Mainland or Vancouver Island can't be beat anywhere in the world," he said.

WAITING TIME

In discussing the promotion of Seattle's tourist business on a year-round basis, Mr. Harrison declared the Seattle Chamber of Commerce came to the conclusion that they were "just wasting their time talking about Seattle alone."

"It has to include the whole Puget Sound area so we decided to send the tourists on one trip too," he said.

He added that Victoria was included in Seattle's promotion scheme.

Mr. Harrison felt that now was the time to educate the public to visit this area at any time of the year.

Family all industrial workers in the United States are now receiving two weeks holiday a year and big industries have to squeeze their holiday periods into a few months and as a result production was being seriously affected, according to Mr. Harrison.

TO KEEP PEAK

As a remedy he felt that in the near future holidays would have to be staggered over a 12-month period to keep production at its peak.

As a start to lengthening the tourist season, Mr. Harrison said that the Seattle tourist season will officially start this year on April 30.

"Its pushing things a bit," he declared, "but we intend to add a little every year until we have a year-round business."

He added that the Fall, Winter, and Spring attractions both in Victoria and Seattle must be developed to cope with the expected business and to give the tourists something to come for.

KARACHI, Pakistan (CP) — A director-cameraman from the March of Time, United States documentary film producer, is here making a film on Pakistan.

Collinsons Win At Legion Darts

Mr. and Mrs. A. Collinson were the winners of a dart tournament held last night at the Britannia Branch of the Canadian Legion. It was announced by Jerry Gosley, chairman of the entertainment committee.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Keane were runners-up in the contest.

The matches are being held at the legion the last Thursday in every month and are open to members and their friends.

Thieves Carry Off Large Refrigerator

A 500-pound ice cream refrigerator, valued at $800, was stolen between 10.15 p.m. and midnight Wednesday, according to city police.

Donald C. McKinnon, manager of Island Farms Co-operative Association, 808 Broughton Street, said police yesterday it had been taken from in front of the premises.

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Kramer Chooses Arlene Dahl For Coveted Role in "Cyrano"

HEARD IN HOLLYWOOD

By LOUELLA O. PARSONS

HOLLYWOOD, April 27 (INS)—From the beginning I said an "unknown" would never be cast as Roxanne in "Cyrano de Bergerac"—and sure enough, the lucky girl comes up Arlene Dahl. Some unknown!

I must, in fairness to Stanley Kramer, say he did make a slight testing a few novices — which is more than many producers do. But with the cost of production what it is today, no producer can afford to spend time training a non-professional.

Arlene's test is a honey. Kramer says even M.G.M., her home lot, from where she was borrowed, will be surprised at what an acting job she does. Arlene, usually referred to as a beauty rather than an actress, credits Michael Gordon, the director, with her dramatic improvement.

As you know, Jose Ferrer is "Cyrano."

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WOOED BY PARAMOUNT

William Perlberg, producer, and George Seaton, director, who made such pictures at 20th as "Miracle on 34th Street," "Apartment for Peggy," "Song of Bernadette" and "The Big Lift," are being wooed by Paramount.

Bill and George have ideas about forming an independent unit when their contracts are up in September. Paramount nothing has been signed. It seems likely this is where the boys will land, although they have had many other offers.

For "The Big Lift" they were given an air medal and medal. Only the fact that they were both working kept them from going to Washington to accept it from Air Force Chief of Staff Hoyt S. Vandenberg.

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TRIP POSTPONED

Red-haired Lorilla Ball was all set for Europe when Wolfgang Reinhardt asked her to play the colorful Elaine Townsend in "The Life of Elaine Townsend."

In case you don't place Elaine she is the fabulous American show girl who went to Cuba almost penniless ten years ago and today operates every gambling concession in Havana.

Lorilla's travel maps went right out the window after agent Kurt Frings told her she was all tied up in Reinhardt's package deal for this exciting story, which will be made of course, in Cuba, Dad Arnaz' native country.

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RESENTS REPORT

Adele Jergens is burning "plenty" over the printed crack that she came into movies via burlesque.

"I've never even been in the same sentence at a burlesque," said Adele, much like one on the stage."

Adele doesn't mind, however, going back to being a "no good" in the movies. She will be naughty plus in "The Sound of Fury." Robert Billmann's new picture. Adele just finished a venture into virtue in "Sugarfoot," but she says where the movies are concerned, she likes the flashier roles.

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RANDOM SNAPSHOTS

The golf games played between Jane Wyman and Ginger Rogers, first chronicled here will have a public. The girls will play one match for charity.

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Dana Andrews and Chick Chandler have abandoned that six-week cruise on Dana's yacht. They got as far as La Paz, Baja, Calif., when the machinery on Dana's yacht broke down, so they are flying home.

Sylvia and Clark Gable insist upon being seated next to each other at all the parties and so expressed themselves to Charlie Feldman at a dinner he gave honoring former Ambassador Joseph Kennedy. Sylvia takes her little chihuahua, Minnie everywhere with her. So far, Minnie is the only rival Clark has for Sylvia's complete attention.

Mrs. Philip Dorn becomes an America citizen next week, realizing an ambition for 14 years. Philip won't become a citizen, however, for several weeks as he didn't file as soon as his wife. They are both from Holland.

Larry Parks is in Palm Springs to try to get rid of chronic laryngitis. I can sympathize with him because this is the most difficult thing in the world to shake.

John and Faith Devers are naming their baby Russell Andre. The Russell is for Russell Hadley, the cameraman who first brought John to the studios.

That's all today. See you tomorrow!

A Murder Is Announced

By AGATHA CHRISTIE

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CHAPTER I—Continued

"But you're not, are you, darling?" Mrs. Easterbrook lowered her voice parenthetically. "And I do think, Archie, that you really ought to go—just to help poor Miss Blacklock out. I'm sure she's counting on you to make the thing a success. I mean, you know so much about police work and procedure. The whole thing will fall flat if you don't go and help to make it a success. After all, one must be neighborly."

Mrs. Easterbrook put her pretty little blonde head on one side and opened her blue eyes very wide.

"Of course, if you put it like that, Laura—" Colonel Easterbrook twirled his grey moustaches again importantly, and looked with indulgence on his fluffy little wife. Mrs. Easterbrook was at least thirty years younger than her husband.

"If you put it like that, Laura," he said.

"I really do think it's your duty, Archie," said Mrs. Easterbrook solemnly.

CHAPTER II

STUPID JOKE?

The Chipping Cleghorn Gazette had also been delivered at Boulden, the picturesque three cottage knocked into one inhabited by Miss Hinchliffe and Miss Murgatroyd.

"Hinch!"

"What is it, Murgatroyd?"

"Where are you?"

"Herbacious!"

"Oh."

Miss Murgatroyd gingerly through the long wet grass. Miss Amy Murgatroyd approached her friend.

"In The Gazette," she panted. "Just listen—what can it mean? A murder is announced . . . and will take place on Friday, October 29th, at Little Paddocks, at 6.30 p.m. Friends please accept this, the only intimation."

She paused breathless as she finished reading, and awaited some authoritative pronouncement.

"Dick," said Miss Hinchliffe.

"You but what do you think it means?"

"Means a drink, anyway," said Miss Hinchliffe.

"You think it's a sort of invitation?"

"We'll find out what it means when we get there," said Miss Hinchliffe.

"Oh, scrumptious!" said Mrs. Harmon across the breakfast table to her husband, the Rev. Julian Harmon. "There's going to be a murder at Miss Blacklock's."

"A murder?" said her husband, slightly surprised. "When?"

"This afternoon . . . at least this evening. 6.30. Oh, bad luck, darling, you've got your preparations for confirmation then. It is a shame, and you do so love murders!"

"I don't really know what you're talking about, Bunch?"

Mrs. Harmon, the roundness of whose form and face had early led to the soubriquet of "Bunch" being substituted for her baptismal name of Dinah, handed The Gazette across the table.

"There. All among the second-hand plates, and the old teek."

"What a very extraordinary announcement."

"Rather!" said Bunch happily. "You wouldn't think that Miss Blacklock cared about murders and games and things, would you? I suppose it's the young Simmonses put her up to it—though I should have thought Julia Simmons would find murders rather crude. Still, there it is, and I do think, darling, it's a shame you can't be there. Anyway, I'll go and tell you all about it, though it's rather wasted on me, because I don't really like games that happen in the dark. They frighten me, and I do hope I shan't have to be the one who's murdered. If someone suddenly puts a hand on my shoulder and whispers, 'You're dead,' I know my heart will stop. It's a big bump the pulpit bangs it really might kill me! Do you think that's likely?"

"No, Bunch. I think you're going to live to be an old, old woman with me."

"And die on the same day and be buried in the same grave. That would be lovely."

Bunch turned from ear to ear at this agreeable prospect.

"You seem very happy, Bunch!" said her husband, smiling.

"Who'd not be happy if they were me?" demanded Bunch rather confusedly. "With you and Susan and Edward, and all of you fond of me and not caring if I'm stupid—And the sun shining! And this lovely big house to live in!"

The Rev. Julian Harmon looked round at his bare dining-room and assented doubtfully.

"Some people would think it was the last straw to have to live in this great rambling draughty place. And you're not stupid, Bunch. You're very clever."

Her cup laugh floated out.

"You old pest!" she exclaimed, rising and beginning to pile the breakfast plates on a tray.

At Little Paddocks also, breakfast was in progress.

Miss Blacklock, a woman of sixty odd, the owner of the house sat at the head of the table. She wore country tweeds—and with them, rather incongruously, a choker necklace of large false pearls. She was reading The Daily Mail. Julia Simmons was languidly glancing through The Telegraph. Patrick Simmons was checking up on the crossword in The Times. Miss Dora Bunner was giving her attention wholeheartedly to the local weekly paper.

Suddenly a loud clack, like a startled hen, came from Miss Bunner.

"Letty—Letty—have you seen this? Whatever can it mean?"

"What's the matter, Dora?"

"The most extraordinary advertisement. It says Little Paddocks quite distinctly. But whatever can it mean?"

"If you'd let me see, Dora dear—" Miss Bunner obediently surrendered the paper into Miss Blacklock's outstretched hand, pointing to the item with a tremulous forefinger.

"Just look, Letty."

Miss Blacklock looked. Her eyebrows went up. She threw a quick scrutinizing glance round the table. Then she read the advertisement out loud.

A murder is announced and will take place Friday, October 29, at Little Paddocks at 6.30 p.m. Friends please accept this, the only intimation.

Then she said sharply:

"Patrick, is this your idea?"

Her eyes rested searchingly on the handsome dark-man-grey face of the young man at the other end of the table.

Patrick Simmons' disclaimer came quickly.

"No, indeed, Aunt Letty. Whatever put that idea into your head? Why should I know anything about it?"

"I wouldn't put it past you," said Miss Blacklock grimly. "I thought it might be your idea of a joke."

"A joke? Nothing of the kind."

"And you, Julia?"

Julia, looking bored, said: "Of course not."

Miss Bunner murmured: "Do you thing Mrs. Hayness—" and looked at an empty place where someone had breakfasted earlier.

(To Be Continued)

Amusements

ON THE SCREEN

Atlas—"On the Town." At 2:02, 6:17, 9:37, "Film Fair on the Ruin."

Capitol—"Dakota Lil," in Cinecolor. At 7:18, 9:30, 3:25, 7:30, 6:30.

Dominion—"Cheaper by the Dozen." At 1:00, 2:30, 5:24, 7:34, 9:30.

Fox—"Champion."

Oak Bay—"Blanche Fury."

Odeon—Borderline." At 1:18, 4:07, 7:01, 9:46 "Free For All; at 2:41, 5:35, 8:32.

Rialto—"Rose of Cimarron of Kentucky." In Cinecolor. At 2:16, 4:42, 7:08, 9:30, plus "Rusty's Birthday." Last complete show at 8:22.

Rio—"Pirates of Monterey," in Technicolor, plus "Big Steal."

Royal—"Key to the City." At 1:00, 3:07, 5:14, 7:21, 8:31.

Daily Astrology

By RITA DEL MAR

FRIDAY, APRIL 28, 1950

Today's Quotation: "Too many, I suspect, think of serving Apollo's only in terms of romantic martyrdom. They are willing to die for their country, but they do not know how to go about living for it."

—Albert Carr.

Friday for Everyone: This is a day when feelings and emotions are apt to run high; let reason and moderate protest you from mistakes. Complete tasks and solve problems.

Born for your birthdate and birthsign below:

March 21 to April 16 (Aries)—Intellect advanced techniques, expedite the job; get the right "slant" on dilemma.

April 20 to May 20 (Taurus)—Define, clarify emphasize; give way a bit where necessary, avoid injured feelings.

May 21 to June 20 (Gemini)—Calm (twilight) into commercial, domestic, parental mastery; seek a satisfying adjustment by evening.

June 21 to July 22 (Cancer)—A "showdown" concerning points of contention is likely; keep a calm, unruffled attitude. Use care on route.

July 23 to August 23 (Leo)—Pay attention to your own and partnership funds. Not don't become upset over them.

August 23 to September 23 (Virgo)—Make this an active day rather than one of heightened conflict; take the middle road.

September 23 to October 22 (Libra)—Take required measures to raise your job lineup, get some relight recreation in evening.

October 23 to November 21 (Scorpio)—Manage romantic social activities with skill; be considerate though others are not.

November 22 to December 21 (Sagittarius — Work in closer union with others to promote ambitions; "only words" are useful.

December 22 to January 19 (Capricorn)—Redeck plans and arrangements; think things out clearly; refrain from over-optimism.

January 20 to February 18 (Aquarius) — Concentrate on budgets, financial links with others; practice teamwork today.

February 19 to March 20 (Pisces) —Reach a new high in second, United action; side-track strain; leave bailiwick to others today.

Planning Ahead — Good for sociability, entertaining, etc.: April 20, May 7, 8; evenings of 8, 9, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 18, 19, 21, 22; late afternoon and evening of 22, 23.

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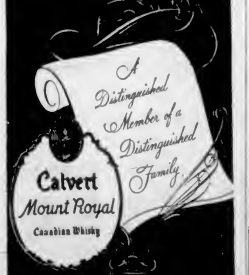

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Amalgamation Committee Takes Stock After Initial Survey

By LAURIE JOSLIN

Steps are now being taken which may clarify the need for metropolitan unification in this area.

Alderman Waldo Skillings, chairman of the Inter-Municipal Unification of Services and Greater Victoria Amalgamation Research Committee, yesterday confirmed the fact that C. Brackenridge Consulting engineer and former city engineer of Vancouver, has been called in to make a brief preliminary survey of conditions in the four municipalities. The survey was made with the co-operation of Oak Bay, Saanich and Esquimalt.

TIME NOT RIPE

Alderman Skillings declared his committee do not feel that the time is ripe at present to make unification advances to any municipality. He said they had been advised to take full stock of the civic situation before looking at the larger picture.

Alderman Skillings disclosed that it was planned to have the city's auditors analyze Victoria's debt structure and also it assets. He said an attempt would be made to point out assets and facilities which benefit the entire area, the cost of which has been piled only on the Victoria debt structure.

"Some people say Victoria is in a bad financial position," observed Alderman Skillings. "Is it? We want the picture broken down so that we know exactly our own position."

NEW CONCEPTION

He urged that the common conception of a "Greater Victoria area" be dropped in favor of the new idea of a "metropolitan area." The new conception would be free of the real or imagined parochialism seen in the old one by some citizens, particularly those living in the surrounding municipalities.

"The new term, metropolitan area, would speak for all municipalities," declared Alderman Skillings.

He advised that a report would be made eventually to City Council, though it might not be compiled for some time in the future because of the nature of the problem.

He declared that if the committee found that it was not a good idea to form a metropolitan area "we'll say so."

Evidence that other dense population blocs are considering the possibility of forming themselves into regional planned areas comes from officials of the Lower Mainland Regional Planning Board.

SURVEY SET

It is learned that the board is preparing to start a survey of the entire Lower Fraser Valley area "as a preliminary step towards producing a regional plan to guide and direct the orderly development of this important section of the Province."

The region, embracing all territory from the Gulf of Georgia to Hope and from the International Boundary to the mountainous regions lying to the north of the Fraser, is roughly 100 miles long by 30 miles wide. It contains six incorporated cities, including Vancouver, sixteen district municipalities, four villages and scattered portions still administered by the Province called unorganized territory. The area is exceeded in population only by Greater Montreal and Greater Toronto in Canada.

AIM STATED

Stated purpose of regional planning is to co-ordinate the individual planning efforts of the separate municipalities and to weld them into one comprehensive program embracing the entire region.

A progress report of the Lower Mainland Regional Planning Board states that even the most casual observer can see that no one municipality regardless of size can live by itself without interdependence on its neighbors.

"It is hoped that regional planning will help us realize we are not merely dwellers in a particular village or urban centre but rather that we are inhabitants of that geographical entity known as 'the Lower Fraser Valley,'" the report states.

REPRESENTATION

The board is comprised of one representative for each of the 36 municipalities within the region, with the Minister of Municipal Affairs appointing a nominee for the unorganized territory. Also on the board are the engineers of the municipalities concerned.

A grant of $7,000 has been made available for the work of the board by Central Mortgage and Housing Corporation. The Provincial Government has agreed to contribute $2,500, the City of Vancouver, $2,000; the 35 other municipalities, $2,000.

"The area is so great and the problems so involved that no overnight solution is in sight," the board's report concludes. "The regional plan, if successfully carried out, will be born of considerable labor on the part of the planning staff and the members of the board."

The City Hall in New York City was erected between 1808 and 1812.

Legal Drolleries Run Riot While Court Left in Dark

HAROLD J. Harkley, Vancouver lawyer, was citing a former case to support his argument for a client, Robert Irwin Kean, against the B.C. Electric. As he spoke, the lights of Appeal Court flickered and went out.

"It seems to be a forceful judgment," quipped Mr. Justice C. H. O'Halloran.

"I hope it affects the court that way," Mr. Harkley said.

"It leaves us in the dark," said opposing counsel, J. L. Farris.

Rotarians Get Club Charter

CHEMAINUS, April 27.—Chemainus Rotary Club, sponsored by Duncan Rotary Club, received its charter from Toby Jackson, Rotary district governor, during a banquet in the Recreation Hall at Chemainus.

J. S. Lawrence, president of Duncan Rotary Club, introduced Mr. Jackson. Toasts proposed were: "The Ladies," Frank Cunliffe, Nanaimo, and "The New Club," Frank Doherty, Victoria. Solos were sung by William E. Carr, accompanied by Andrew Dunsmore. The Victoria Rotary Club orchestra was in attendance.

Officers of the new club are William Penman, president; George Bryant, vice-president; R. Saunders, secretary; R. Jarrett, treasurer; James Fisher, sergeant-at-arms, and Andrew Bennett, William Bowie, Gerald Smith and Jack Sweeney, directors.

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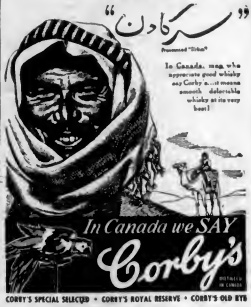

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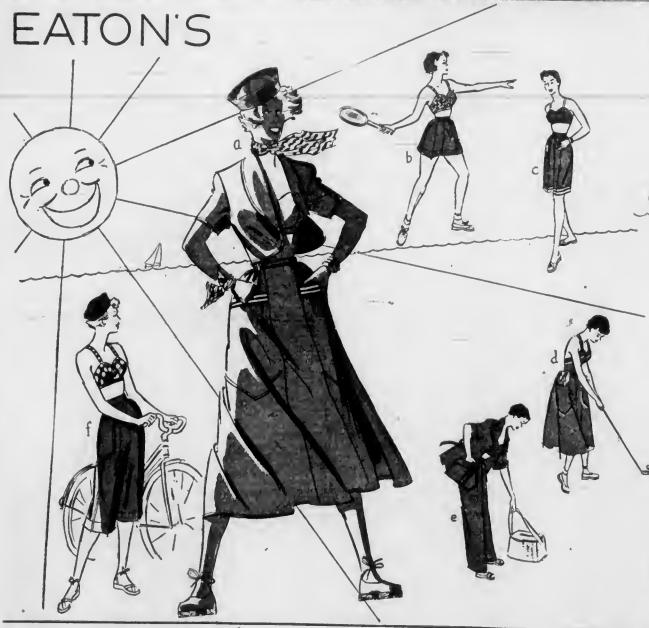

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SECOND NEWS SECTION

NO. 116—NINETY-SECOND YEAR VICTORIA, BRITISH COLUMBIA, FRIDAY, APRIL 28, 1950

Shamrocks Hold First Arena Workout

Victoria Shamrocks, local entry into Inter-City Lacrosse League, had first workout on Memorial Arena floor last night. Coach Arnold Ferguson, who has been putting club through strenuous conditioning program, expects to start trimming 25-player squad by week-end. Ferguson (centre) explains hoola strategy during last night's session to (left to right) Darryl Popham, Fred Ranson, Len Scott and Duff McCaffrey. Popham and Ferguson formerly starred with New Westminster Adanacs while others are products of city lacrosse loop.

—Colonist Photos.

One of big problems facing Coach Ferguson is selection of netminder for Victoria lacrosse team. Bill Andrews (above), Buzz Long and Jim Hetherington are engaged in wide-open battle for goaltender's position. Players still hope for wooden floor soon after season opens at Arena on May 10 against New Westminster Salmonbellies.

Skating Tests Passed Here By Lois Hardy

Miss Lois Hardy, Victoria figure skating club professional, successfully passed her sixth figure skating test at the Memorial Arena Saturday. She is now working on the seventh, next in the gold medal, the highest test in figure skating.

Tests for members of the Victoria skating club were also held Sunday. Fay Cheesley and Jacqueline Lloyd both passed their second test while Betty Archiven completed her first test. Members successfully passing their preliminary test were: May Ingala, Paddy Houlds, Donella Richmond, Patricia Richardson, Shirley Pauline, Dorothy Bradshaw, Marsiee Hurley, Marilyn DeWolf and Wilfred Yule.

John Wickson and John White of Vancouver, and J. Kilgour of Victoria, acted as judges.

Baseball's Big Six

By The Associated Press

League Leaders	G	AB	R	H	Pct
Mitchell, Reds	6	24	5	12	.500
Ennis, Phillies	6	24	3	12	.500
Musial, Cards	6	24	4	12	.500
Jones, Phillies	6	23	3	11	.478
Kiner, Pirates	6	22	3	10	.455
Pafko, White Sox	6	22	3	10	.455

Home Runs—American League: Paul, Athletics, 3; Wood, Browns, 3; Kuenn, Tigers, 2; Mainieri, Senators, Coleman, Tigers, Doerr, Red Sox, 1.

Hits—American League: Goodman, Red Sox, 10. National League: Ennis, Phillies, 11.

C.B.C. to Broadcast U.S. Race Classic

THE Dominion Network of the Canadian Broadcasting Corporation will carry a full three-quarter-hour commentary on the Kentucky Derby on Saturday, May 6, at 3 p.m. There will be a 15-minute race preview and leads a running account of the race itself.

The broadcast will be heard locally over stations CJVI and CJCR.

United to Play Rest of Games

Victoria United will finish their Coast Soccer League commitments for 1950.

Secretary Charlie Faulkner announced last night that United will play the remaining games against St. Andrews to wind up the second-half schedule. First game will be played at Vancouver's Callister Park on May 6 and the second at Victoria May 20.

United will also take part in Premier and Connaught Cup competitions.

Druggists' junior baseball team will hold a practice this evening at Cec Bay High school at 6 o'clock. All players are requested to attend and any others interested are invited.

Phils Oust Five Hurlers Trouncing Dodgers, 9-2

Philadelphia Phillies snapped Brooklyn's six-game win streak, 9-2, at Philadelphia Saturday. Warren Spahn became the first pitcher to win three games and Ellis Kinder turned in his first triumph of the season—three were the highlights in yesterday's major league baseball activity.

The Phils rocked the Dodgers, 9-2, wrapping up the contest in the first inning when Willie Jones walloped a grand-slam home run off Preacher Roe. In all, the Phillies combed five Brooklyn pitchers for 13 hits to allow Robin Roberts to coast to his second triumph—both at Brooklyn's expense.

SPAHN TRIUMPHS

Spahn, the talented southpaw of the Braves, pitched Boston to a 3-1, ten-inning victory over the hapless New York Giants. Sorian's winning run came when Dave Koslo, who had relieved Starter Monte Kennedy in the eighth, walked six-time World Series Marshall with the bases loaded.

Kinder pitched the Boston Red Sox to a 7-3 victory over the New York Yankees. Widdness on the part of Starter Tommy Byrne led to the Yanks' downfall.

AS DOWN SENATORS

Philadelphia Athletics downed Washington 4-3 in the only other American League game as cold weather forced postponement of Cleveland at Detroit and Chicago at St. Louis.

St. Louis Cardinals' 3-2 triumph over Pittsburgh may have been a costly one for the Redbirds. Stan Musial twisted his left knee running first base in the ninth inning and may be out of the line-up today.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Boston	001 001 000	3	9	0
New York	000 000 210	3	7	1

Batteries—Kinder and Tebbetts, Byrne, Ferrick and Berra. Home run—Boston, Doerr (1). Winner—Kinder (1-0). Loser—Ferrick (0-1). Umpires—Rommel, Summers, Napp and Boggess. Time—2:16.

Washington	000 010 000	1	7	0
Philadelphia	100 000 003	4	7	1

Batteries—Leonard, Marrero, Ferrick and Evans; Byrne, Scarborough, Fowler, Morgan and Hegan. Home Runs—Washington, Coan (1). Winner—Scarborough (1-0). Loser—Leonard (0-1). Umpires—Hurley, Hubbard, Chiozza and Gorman. Time—2:05.

Chicago at St. Louis, postponed, cold.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

St. Louis	001 000 000	1	8	0
Pittsburgh	000 002 000	2	7	1

Batteries—Mauger and Garagiola, Sain and Lamanno (8) and Fitzgerald.

Philadelphia	000 113 001	9	13	0
Brooklyn	000 010 010	2	9	1

Batteries—Roberts and Lopata; Roe, Hatton, Branca (8), Palica (9) and Cole, Cappuzzello.

Home Runs—Philadelphia, Jones (1). Winner—Roberts (1-0). Loser—Roe (0-1). Umpires—Ballanfant, Conlan, Jorda and Stewart.

New York	000 000 010	1	6	0
Boston	000 000 012	3	7	0

Batteries—Kennedy, Koslo (8) and Berra; Spahn and Sarni.

Postponed at Chicago, postponed, cold weather.

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE

Montreal (Spring)	000 000 000	0	5	1
Toronto (Lombardi)	000 000 000	0	4	1

Batteries—Lawrence and Hegan; Bahnsen and Lombardi.

Canada Geese Heading North

JACK Leonard of Queensway Drive habitually keeps one eye on the sky every year about this time for that reliable sign of Spring—Canada geese winging their way northward to the nesting ground.

Monday he spotted the first flock of returning honkers, about 200 Canada geese and one in straggling V-in high above Victoria.

European Champ Cancels Bout

BOSTON, April 27 (AP) — Ray Famechon, European featherweight champion, has been stricken with appendicitis and his Friday night bout in Boston with Tommy Collins of Boston was cancelled today. Dr. Vincent Nardiello, New York Athletic Commission physician, advised removal of the appendix but said Famechon told him he would return to France for the operation.

New Rule Helps Players

VANCOUVER, April 27 (CP) — The new player-loan rule adopted by the Senior Inter-City Lacrosse League to prevent carrying seldom-used senior players, appears to be working out well.

Four of the six squads have entered teams in the Senior "B" Pacific Coast Lacrosse League to give themselves an outlet for any surplus talent over the 18-man limit. Indians, Adanacs, Richmond and Salmonbellies have Senior "B" teams. Under present rules, a minor league player can play five Senior "A" games a season.

Regina Loses 8-7

Pats Drop First Game To Fighting Canadiens

PORUM, MONTREAL, April 27 (CP)—Montreal Canadiens, in a free-scoring game that saw ten goals scored in the third period, edged Regina Pats, 8-7, here tonight in the opening game of the best-of-seven series for the Memorial Cup.

The first two periods were played at a steady, close-checking pace but the third broke wide open with the Western champions staging a terrific rally to wipe out a two-goal lead and threaten to win the game. The Fighting Canadiens had just a little more to carry them through to victory.

During the last 30 minutes of play, the 10,414 fans in the rink were kept on the edge of their seats with the terrific pace and fast-popping goals that sometimes were only seconds apart.

ONE-MAN SHOW

Defenceman Moresby McNeil put on a one-man show for Pats as he slammed home three goals and practically alone kept the visitors in the game until the dying minutes.

Outcome of the game was doubtful until the final whistle, although the Montrealers held a 24-23 edge in the shooting department.

Both goalers, little Roger Morrissette of Canadiens and Regina's Bob Tyler turned in brilliant performances as the defence of both teams at times completely collapsed.

THRILLING GAME

But the game was thrilling and gave the crowd more than they could take.

The players seemed to be spurred on in the third period by the presence of Viscount Alexander, Governor-General of Canada, who delayed the game briefly at the start of the third period to shake his hand.

SUMMARY

First Period—Regina, Campbell (2) (Chiba), Montreal, Lamoureux (2) (Mosdell, Mosdell), 19:30. Penalty: Kane.

Third Period—Montreal, Rocca (Grant, Mosdell) 1:41. Montreal, Marshall (Rocca, Grant) 2:00. Regina, Campbell (Chiba) 6:00. Regina, Mosdell (Campbell, Sopha, McDonald-Chiba) 8:12. Regina, Sopha (Mosdell, Campbell) 8:45. Montreal, Lamoureux (McGuire, R. Ostrow) 10:15. Montreal, Grant (Rocca) 10:45. Regina, Chiba (Campbell, Mosdell) 11:15. Montreal, Rocca (Grant, McDonald, Bouchard, Mosdell) 12:00. Penalties: McDonald, Bouchard, Mosdell.

Minors Rule On Broadcasts Of Ball Games

CINCINNATI, April 27 (UNS)—Walter Mulby, secretary to Baseball Commissioner A. B. Chandler said tonight that minor league clubs were the sole powers to determine whether they wished to permit or reject major league broadcasts within a 50-mile radius.

According to Mulby, the regulation which bans major league radio or television programs in minor league areas was created for the protection of the minor leagues. But Mulby added:

"Each club can operate independently. It may permit such broadcasts during home games if it desires. The club also can keep the broadcasts out if it wants."

P.C.L. Scores

HOW THEY STAND

	W.	L.	Pct.
Hollywood	19	6	.760
Seattle	18	7	.720
San Francisco	16	11	.593
Sacramento	14	11	.560
Portland	13	12	.520
Los Angeles	12	13	.480
Oakland	11	14	.440
Seattle	9	16	.360

Hollywood	000 101 101	3	7	1
Seattle	000 000 000	0	6	1

Batteries—Donatelli, Ballanfant, Sandoval; McNish and Hemsley.

San Diego	000 000 000	0	5	1
Portland	000 000 000	0	5	1

Batteries—Pillette, Brown and Pacelli; Bowman, Gibson and Brucker. Home Runs—San Diego, Gilliam (1).

San Francisco	000 011 300	5	9	1
Oakland	112 000 200	6	9	1

Batteries—Jackson and Pytlak; Bell, Bonham, Brown and Pacelli. Home Runs—Oakland, Bell (2).

Portland	001 000 000	1	8	1
Sacramento	000 000 010	1	6	0

Batteries—Gibson and Brucker; Green, Thomas (8) and Baldwin.

Coaches Choose N.H.L. All-Star Team

BILL DURNAN GUS MORTSON KEN REARDON SID ABEL MAURICE RICHARD TED LINDSAY

Three players from Montreal Canadiens, two from Stanley Cup champions Detroit Red Wings and one from Toronto Maple Leafs was chosen on National Hockey League all-star team in voting of six coaches. Right Winger Maurice Richard of Canadiens and Left Winger Ted Lindsay, Bill Durnan, Montreal (2) points; gained goal position. Red a bat. Denson (21) look centre post, and Gus Mortson, Toronto (21) and Detroit (17 each); centre—Ted Kennedy, Toronto (18); right wing—Gordie Howe, Detroit (17); left wing—Tony Leswick, New York (14). First team players receive $1,000 each, second team $500.

Converted Outfielder Hurls Second Win Over Athletics

Ragni in Masterful Mound Appearance As Chiefs Hand A's Eighth Setback, 5-4

HOW THEY STAND

	W.	L.	Pct.
Spokane	7	1	.875
Vancouver	6	1	.857
Tacoma	6	2	.750
Salem	5	2	.714
Victoria	4	3	.571
Portland	3	4	.429
Yakima	2	5	.286
Seattle	1	6	.143
Bellingham	0	7	.000

VICTORIA

Jay Ragni appears to have found his proper position in his third W.I.L. season. The 6-foot-2 left-hander, who played 14 games in the outfield for Brewerton in 1949 and 135 games at first base for the Jackets last season, pitched eight for Victoria Athletics down for the second time this season as he pitched Wenatchee Chiefs to a 5-4 victory in the first game of a four-game series. A small crowd of 906 faint saw the A's go down to their 10th one-run defeat in their eighteen attempts in ten games.

Showing a snapping curve which he kept in close, good control, a fast ball and considerable poise, Ragni effectively scattered seven hits. Two errors by his teammates, which were responsible for as many runs and K Cherbon's slashing liner to right field which got by Manager Rogers' Thompson for an inside-the-park home-run made his performance look less impressive than it really was. Ragni was particularly tough on Victoria, southpaw swingman with both Bert Wert and Junior Krug looking bad at the plate and striking four of the eight strikeouts charged against the losers.

Jake Mosly started for the A's but the veteran is not yet ready for his best pitching. Although walking only four men, he was continually pitching himself into trouble and the Chiefs were laying into pitches which were getting too much of the plate. Although given an early lead, Mosly never appeared to take control and was charged with all of the Wenatchee runs and eight of their nine hits when he was lifted for a pinch-hitter in the sixth. Five of the hits—four doubles and a triple—went for extra bases.

Jim Olsen finished up for the A's and turned in his second good relief stint, giving up only one hit in his three innings.

A walk to Eb Vanni, Gene Thompson's single, an error by Walt Pocekay which put Thompson on second, and a Rossini hard double gave Victoria two runs in the first. Vanni scored again in the third when he was given a life at first when Umpire Joe Iacovetti caught Bob Coulson with his foot off the bag and completed the circuit on a stolen base and Gene Thompson's double. Cherbon's four-baser, the first of the season in Victoria games, completed the A's scoring in the seventh.

Doubles by Larry Neal, colored shortstop flash and Rudy Hjelmlan gave the Chiefs their first run in the fourth as Mosly was shuttered hard. All three outs in the inning were ball-tagged balls to the outfielders. Two more scored in the next inning when Al Drew's drive to right-centre was past Krug, playing Morley Bothman and Lanny Neal, who had singled and walked, respectively.

Running, who had flagged every would-be base thief in the first nine games, made a high throw to second in the sixth which resulted in what proved to be the winning run. Bockman and Len Neal hit successive doubles for one run. Mosly retired the next two batters but walked Larry Neal. The latter broke for second on the first pitch and Running's toss was too high for a cut-off by Shortstop Bill Dunn, and Lanny Neal, who had gone to third on a fielder's choice, scored easily.

Pocekay made the fielding play of the game in the ninth when he gathered in Al Smith's drive to the wall in left kicking to keep Ragni out of possible trouble.

A southpaw karte looms up for tonight. Aldon Wilkie is the Victoria pitching choice and his opponent will be Terry Terrazzas, who held the A's to three hits last Saturday.

Norma Stewart To Compete At Portland

Archie McKinnon will accompany 18-year-old Norma Stewart to Portland today where she will compete in the national junior women's swimming championships tomorrow. Miss Stewart, 100-yard unofficial Canadian 100-yard junior women's record, will swim the 220- and 100-yard events at the Oregon meet.

Two YMCA teammates, Gillian Watson and Marilyn Haysmith, will compete in the provincial junior girls' championships at Vancouver tomorrow. Miss Watson will contest backstroke and breast stroke events, while Miss Haysmith will participate in free style and backstroke races. They will be accompanied by Mrs. Marjorie Haysmith.

Haddad to Quit Ring for While

Eddie Haddad, Canadian amateur light-weight champion, is getting married May 8 and will do no more fighting until some time in 1951. He said he will make the Dominion championships at Lethbridge, Alta., May 18-20.

The 22-year-old boxer said when he returns to the ring he will concentrate on gaining a berth on Canada's 1952 Olympic boxing team. He reached the semi-finals in both the 1948 Olympics and the 1950 British Empire Games.

Favorite Beaten In Stake Race

LEXINGTON, Ky., April 27 (UNS)—C. V. Whitney's Mr. Trouble, favorite was the $20,000 added Blue Grass stakes at Keeneland Park—a heralded test of Kentucky Derby entries.

Fayord Oil Capital was second and On The Mark finished third.

Mr. Trouble's time for the mile and one-eighth route was 1:50 2-5 as compared with the track record of 1:49 1-5.

The winner paid $10.60, $2.80 and $2.00. Oil Capital paid $2.80 and $2.00. On The Mark returned $6.20.

Baseball Standings

AMERICAN LEAGUE

	W.	L.	Pct.
Detroit	9	4	.692
New York	9	4	.692
Cleveland	8	4	.667
Chicago	8	4	.667
Boston	7	4	.636
Washington	6	5	.545
Philadelphia	5	7	.417
St. Louis	3	8	.273

NATIONAL LEAGUE

	W.	L.	Pct.
Chicago	9	3	.750
Cincinnati	8	3	.727
Pittsburgh	8	3	.727
Boston	7	3	.700
Brooklyn	6	3	.667
New York	5	5	.500
Philadelphia	3	7	.300
St. Louis	2	8	.200

Shoots Fourth Ace

VANCOUVER, April 27 (CP)—For the fourth time in his life, 23-year-old Tom Smith made a hole-in-one at the University of British Columbia golf course yesterday.

Mr. Smith holed his ace shot on the 138-yard sixth. His three previous hole-in-ones were scored at the University.

Box Score

WENATCHEE

	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Drew cf	4	1	1	3	0	0
Harry Neal ss	4	1	1	2	4	0
Bockman 2b	4	1	1	1	3	0
Rossini 1b	4	0	1	8	0	0
Thompson rf	3	1	1	1	0	0
Hjelmlan 3b	4	0	1	1	2	0
Vanni lf	3	1	0	2	0	0
Coulson c	3	0	0	5	0	0
Wockman ss	3	0	0	1	2	0
Ragni p	3	0	0	0	2	0
Totals	34	5	7	24	13	0

VICTORIA

	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Dunn ss	4	0	0	1	3	0
Wert rf	3	0	0	1	0	0
Krug lf-rf	3	0	0	2	0	0
Cherbon cf	4	1	1	3	0	0
Running c	3	0	0	5	0	0
Smith 1b	3	0	0	8	0	0
Neal 2b	3	0	1	2	2	0
A. Smith, 3b	3	0	0	0	2	0
Mosly p	2	0	0	0	1	0
Olsen p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Pocekay ss	3	0	0	1	2	0
Totals	34	1	2	21	9	0

Batted out for Mosly in 6th.

10 wounded—Drew, Vanni, Smith.

Wenatchee	000	000	000	0	5	7	1
Victoria	000	000	100	1	1	2	0

SUMMARY

Leading batters: Drew, 2. Second round: Harry Neal, Bockman, Thompson, Vanni, Ragni, Krug, Cherbon, Smith, Neal, Mosly, Olsen, 1 apiece. Home runs: Cherbon. Two-base hits: Rossini, Harry Neal, Bockman, Neal, Harry Neal, Hjelmlan. Left on bases: Wenatchee, 7; Victoria, 7. Sacrifices: Drew, Harry Neal, Thompson. Stolen bases: Thompson, Harry Neal. Double plays: Harry Neal, Bockman, Rossini; Dunn, Neal, Smith. Hits off: Mosly, 7 in 6 innings; Olsen, 0 in 3. Hit by pitcher: Mosly (Drew). Wild pitches: Mosly, 2. Passed balls: Coulson, 2. Left on bases: Victoria, 7. Umpires: Bob Jones, Jack Ferguson. Time: 2:00. Attendance: 906. Scorer: Larry Neal.

Lost By Hurlers: Plate

Maybe you can blame it on the cold weather but unless the pitchers find the location of the plate soon, all assisting W.I.L. bases on balls records are going to be broken this season.

Salem Senators and Tri-City Braves both scored victories last night through the generosity of opposing hurlers.

Salem downed Cagiansos 8-6 in two innings although it was the opener, 7-1, and Tri-Cities 10-7 in the finale, 3-1. Wimpy Quinn singled in the winning run in the opener after Glenn Hostler had tripled and Dick Green and Eric Schroeder were intentionally passed. Spokane raised for all to have in the eighth inning in the afternoon with a triple by Joe Rossi, a double by Jerry Conant and singles by Charlie Bushong and Chuck Davis doing the damage.

First Game—	R	H	E
Salem	000 100 07—	8	1
Cagiansos	000 100 15—	7	1

Batteries: Hostler and Pinkerton; Hoover, Roberts and Fischer.

Second game

	R	H	E
Cagiansos	000 000 000—	0	5
Salem	000 000 000—	0	5

Batteries: Cagiansos, Cox and Fischer; Salem, Carter (8) and Sheets. Fischer.

Third Game—	R	H	E
Spokane	000 000 000—	0	3
Tri-City	000 000 000—	0	3

Batteries: Spokane, Rossi (7) and Rossi; Tri-City, Bradley (8) and McMillan. Bradley. Home Runs: Spokane, Rossi (1).

	R	H	E
Spokane	000 000 000—	0	3
Tri-City	000 000 000—	0	3

Batteries: Spokane, Rossi (7) and Rossi; Tri-City, Bradley (8) and McMillan. Bradley. Home Runs: Spokane, Rossi (1).

Soccer Meet

The Victoria and District Football Association will hold a meeting at the British Public Schools' Club Monday evening at 8 o'clock. All teams are requested to have delegates in attendance.

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The Spotlight

—By GRANTLAND RICE—

It hadn't quite occurred to us the part that football played in the community life of this country—just when it went from September to January especially. The following note woke us up

"Dear Grant: An item popped up in today's mail which might interest you. You talk about big business, well look at the Michigan football figures just out. The Varsity played before 700,413 spectators in 1949 in nine games—the largest paid attendance record of any football team in history. The take was a good deal more than a million dollars, and profit from football alone paid for baseball, track, basketball, tennis, golf, swimming, wrestling, hockey, gymnastics and intramural sports for 21,000 students—all the other sports operated at a deficit. The Michigan Stadium was enlarged last year to seat close to 100,000 people, the largest college-owned stadium in the nation. It cost $204,189 to enlarge the place, and this first season after enlargement it brought additional gross revenue of $190,430. They can't stand football in the Middle West. They just averaged 84,000 per game, at home and away.—D. T.

Conceding the fact that Michigan is located near Detroit, one of the great receiving cities of the world, and that Michigan teams are always packed with skill and color, are always interesting to watch, the 700,413 home attendance is an amazing happening, especially since it took place with television at work, which is full proof that both the game and television can do very well when the attraction is high class.

It might be stated here that Michigan's scholastic requirements match any other school's anywhere. Before 1940, Notre Dame usually held the football attendance record with sellouts or near sellouts for every game played, at home and abroad. But only Southern California and U.C.L.A. had a stadium to match Michigan's 99,700 capacity and neither USC nor U.C.L.A. has lately had the drawing power to match the two gridiron powers of the Midwest, with Ohio State not so far away.

Where the Strength Is

A correspondent wants to know the best catching staff, pitching staff, infield and outfield in both leagues. This should be good for only eight-arguments in each league. The only way you can answer this query is to imagine you are a manager who has his choice. This would be ours:

National League—Catching: Brooklyn, with Campanella and Edwards. No one else close. Seminick of Phillies, dangerous hitter Crandall of Braves, best-looking rookie catcher in years.

American League—Catching: Berra of Yankees, well in front. His sponsor—Bill Dickey—in his prime could outcatch all those playing today with one hand. A.L. is weak in catching.

National League—Infield: Brooklyn Dodgers. Second choice, Phillies. Most of the others second class

American League—Infield: Boston Red Sox, especially in the way of power. Yankees, Tigers and Indians only fair. Yankees second in all-around team value.

National League—Outfield: Boston Braves, also largely to added power. Gordon, Marshall, Jethro and Olmo first class. Dodgers next. Phillies third.

American League—Outfield: Red Sox, with Williams, Dom DiMaggio and Kerrigan. Tigers next, with Evers, Groth, Wertz, Keller and Mullin. Yankees and Indians a standard in all-around ability

National League—Pitching: Once again Dodgers get the call with Newcombe, Roe, Hatten, Erskine, Banfhead, Branca, Barney, Podbielan, Ramsdell and others. Second place is a guess. Cardinals should be in this spot if veterans can hold up with Pollet, Munger, Lanier, Martin, Brecheen, Blaley, Wilks and others. The Cardinals have best chance to match the Dodgers. Braves and Reds are Boston's best. They can be tough.

American League—The best pitching staff in the A.L. should be Detroit's, especially if Newhouser comes around. Houtteman, Hutchinson, Grey, Trucks, etc., can hold their own. Joe Page is about 80 per cent of the Yankee pitching staff, Mitsu Page, the Yankees would be struggling to finish in the First Division. The great lefthander is their only consistent workman. Cleveland has a fair staff.

The pitching in both leagues is rather scrgy, well below par. Few pitchers have yet located the general area of the home plate.

Hundred Thousand Fans To See Wembley Classic

LONDON, April 27 (CP).—Arsenal, a team of opportunists, meets steady, business-like Liverpool Saturday in Britain's annual soccer classic, the football cup final.

About 80,000 fans will sit and another 40,000 will stand in London's Wembley Stadium to watch the 69th renewal of this sudden-death climax to the 35-week soccer season.

ONE-GOAL WIZARDS

The cup final is the last round in a knockout competition separate from regular league play. Pinching this year are George Kay's Liverpool team, which went 19 games before losing at the beginning of the season, and Tom Whittaker's Arsenal Gunners, known as the "one-goal" wizards.

On form, Liverpool should win. But Arsenal's traditional team spirit and opportunism have the odds-makers hedging. They won't offer you even-money on either team.

Liverpool's big hope for its first cup victory is Forward Billy Liddell, usually the outstanding individualist on either team. The Gunners, out for a third cup in their fifth final, will rely on a solid defence plus the celebrated "charge" that marked their progress along the road to Wembley.

FREAK TALLIES

Among its victims, Arsenal numbers Sheffield United—tripped by a last-minute goal—Sheffield Wednesday, and Chelsea—conquered on a freak tally off a corner kick.

British soccer really has grown up with the cup. Its history started in 1871, when a handful of men in mutton-chop whiskers decided to inaugurate an annual competition for a cup and "medals of trifling value."

Since then the cup or its model has been stolen or given away, but the game itself has become a sporting best-seller.

Only 2,000 fans, unlounged by a three-shilling sixpence admission fee of a shilling a head, watched the first final at Kennington Oval in 1871. There were only 15 entries then. Now there are more than 500 teams.

FANS ON THE WILD

In 1923, football fans went wild and invaded Wembley. More than 200,000 crowded into the stadium. Only 126,047 paid, but everyone played, and the game started 40 minutes late.

To prevent any similar occurrence this year, 250 policemen will direct traffic to the massive stadium in North London, scene of the 1948 Olympics.

Even the cup-final referee takes time out to "train" for Wembley.

Harry Pearce, 42-year-old Middlesex-lawyer for Saturday's contest, has been practicing three hours a week—not soccer, but sprinting. He wants to be able to keep up with the play.

Indians Coach Needs Release

VANCOUVER, April 27 (CP).—The Indians of the Inter-City Lacrosse League may find themselves without a coach. Bill Dickinson, newly-appointed coach, must apply for a release from Richmond club, whom he played last year.

So far he has not applied for transfer, and Richmond has intimated it will appeal at least two good players in exchange when he does. The Inter-City Lacrosse Commission may have to decide the problem.

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Racing Results, Entries

At Tanforan

FIRST RACE—
Thunder (Matthews) $4.00 $2.60 $2.60
Lots To Hide (Mitchell) 9.00 5.20
Fortunate (Jackson) 2.60
Time: :23 Exacta Matrix, Mate 1 Trio, Perfecta Triple, Quinella.

SECOND RACE—
Sir Gallant (Mitchell) $40.00 $15.00 $8.60
Revenge (Dye Gilmore) 3.00 2.40
Sank Trip (Gerino) 8.00
Scrimmed Le Jolie Blond, Greek Chief.

THIRD RACE—
Ruffed Grouse (Jackson) $4.00 $2.60 $2.00
French Dancer (Moscoso) 3.60 2.40
Sir Ronald (Gerino) 3.00
Scrimmed Pacific Sale, Sweet Jane, Salem Boy, Mr. Dean.

FOURTH RACE—
Hidden Queen (Gerino) $4.00 $2.60
One Punch (Moscoso) 3.00 2.60
Mr Sullivan (Brooks) 3.00
Scrimmed Sir Ronald.

FIFTH RACE—
Pleasant Dream (Gerino) $10.60 $6.20 $4.00
Fortunate (Jackson) 4.00 2.60
Jay Jet (Brooks) 3.00
Scrimmed Beauty Lane, Spy Lander, Fire Flash, Mr. Mitch, Pen.

SIXTH RACE—
Fairway Kings (Gerino) $10.00 $4.60 $3.00
Sir Ronald (Moscoso) 3.00 2.60
Crouch (Brooks) 3.00
Scrimmed Parkinda Gold, Miss Tanner, Sarah, Silver Screen.

SEVENTH RACE—
Sir Gallant (Gerino) $7.00 $4.60 $3.00
Ruffed Grouse (Jackson) 3.00 2.60
Sally Fire (Mitchell) 3.00
Scrimmed Sir Ronald.

EIGHTH RACE—
Kingfisher (Gerino) $12.00 $6.20 $4.00
Sir Ronald (Jackson) 3.00 2.60
Bay Flight (Brooks) 3.00
Scrimmed Kwelin Tree, Sinch Alibi, Fire Flash, Mr. Mitch.

OVERNIGHT ENTRIES

FIRST RACE—Mile and a sixteenth.
Jungle Drums ..... 119 Blue Church 114
Ghost ..... 114 Sir Ronald 114
Shady Tree ..... 114 Fairway Kings 114
Bill Bennett ..... 114 Pleasant Dream 112
Alice ..... 114 Sally Fire 112
Silver's Flash ..... 109 Sweet Jane 112
Spy Lander ..... 114 Hidden Queen 112
Spy Boy 114

SECOND RACE—Five furlongs.
Fair Alcove ..... 108 Jack A Bee 108
Wire Flash ..... 108 Charlie 108
Ruffed Grouse ..... 108 Sally Wells 108
Sweet Jane ..... 108 Gunner 108
Free Bird ..... 108 Crouch 108
Sunset Lane ..... 108 Tarzan 108
Sir Ronald

THIRD RACE—Mile and an eighth.
Sir Gallant ..... 114 Sunset Lane 114
Sir Fire ..... 114 Magic Wonder 114
Sir Ronald ..... 114 Sinch Alibi 114
Sir Fairway ..... 114 Sparkling Star 114

FOURTH RACE—Six furlongs.
Sweet Jane ..... 114 Sally Fire 114
Sunset Lane ..... 114 Tarzan 114
Free Bird ..... 114 Star Planet 114
Sir Ronald ..... 114 Mr. Mitch 114
Dusty Cat ..... 114 Moon Drop 114

FIFTH RACE—Six furlongs.
Fairway Kings ..... 114 Jack Spratt 114
Fancy Dash ..... 112 Green Hawk 112
Sally Fire ..... 112 Sweet Jane 112
Sir Ronald ..... 112 Hard Lad 112
Great Gem ..... 107 Little Marie 107
Sunset Lane ..... 107 Mr. Dean 107
Sweet Sally ..... 107 Sarah 107
Sugar Baby ..... 107 La Rapidita 107

SIXTH RACE—Six furlongs.
Fairhaven ..... 112 Sir Ronald 112
Fairway Kings ..... 112 Sunset Lane 112
Sally Wells ..... 112 Gunner 112
Sinch Lynn ..... 112 Gerry

SEVENTH RACE—Mile and a sixteenth.
Indiana Man ..... 120 Sahib 118
Bonnie Boy ..... 118 Entanglement 118
Sunset Lane ..... 118 Sugar Cracker 118
Scissors ..... 118 Gerry

EIGHTH RACE—Mile and a sixteenth.
Sir Ronald ..... 118 Sahib 118
Sunset Lane ..... 118 Sugar Cracker 118
Bonnie Boy ..... 118 Gerry
Cousin Sam ..... 118 Mexico II 118
Crowd Pleas ..... 118 Arsenic Lad 118
Sir Fairway ..... 118 Sir Gallant 118
Sir Fire ..... 118 Big Day 118
First post 1:00 p.m.

Suffolk Downs

FIRST RACE—
Sally's Boy (Gomentsko) $10.00 $6.00 $4.00
Ruffed Grouse (Bailey) 5.00 4.00
Chief Chanda (Bailey) 4.00
Scrimmed Pamlot.

SECOND RACE—
Sun Call (Merry) 30.00 14.00 8.00
Sir Ronald (Bailey) 5.00 4.00
Sir Gallant (Merry) 4.00
Scrimmed Sun Gold, Daily Double $138.60.

THIRD RACE—
Dragon Fly (Merry) $14.00 $7.00 $3.00
Sir Ronald (Bailey) 4.00 3.00
Wing Wanders (Dowdy) 3.00
Scrimmed Pamlot.

FOURTH RACE—
Blaine (Calzado) $13.00 $6.00 $4.00
Sunset Lane (Merry) 4.00 3.00
Sir Ronald (Bailey) 3.00
Scrimmed Pamlot.

FIFTH RACE—
Pilot Ed (Gilmore) $6.00 $3.00 $2.00
Fighting (Pedro) 3.00 2.00
Blaine (Calzado) 2.00
Scrimmed Sun Call.

SIXTH RACE—
Boy (Calzado) $16.00 $5.00 $3.00
Aldo (Merry) 5.00 3.00
Sunset (Gomentsko) 3.00
Scrimmed Pamlot.

SEVENTH RACE—
Golden Chief (Bailey) $8.00 $4.00 $2.00
The Lion (Gomentsko) 3.00 2.00
Full Blooded (Merry) 2.00
Scrimmed Silver Coal, Our Gully.

EIGHTH RACE—
Wingwanders (Trout) $10.00 $4.00 $3.00
Sir Ronald (Bailey) 3.00 2.00
Cobbedy Boy (McCallum) 3.00
Scrimmed Pamlot.

OVERNIGHT ENTRIES

FIRST RACE—Six furlongs.
Pilot ..... 111 Sir Rodney 111
Al Longshot ..... 108 Lucky Lad 108
Chanda ..... 108 Lazarte 108
Fighting ..... 108 Ruffed Grouse 112
War Chief ..... 111 Arkley 111
Sally Boy

SECOND RACE—Six furlongs.
Lady Blaine ..... 112 Wrafford 109
Sunset Lane ..... 112 Sir Ronald Jones 109
Tiger Fly ..... 109 Sun Call 109
Tiger Tim ..... 109 Flowers 109
Jack T

THIRD RACE—Four furlongs.
Sir Ronald ..... 110 Sir Rodney 110
Lucky Lad ..... 110 Pamlot 110
Dudley Do ..... 110 Barnaby Joe 110
Sunset Lane ..... 110 Tiger Jet 110
Bonny Prince

FOURTH RACE—Six furlongs.
Arrow ..... 110 Starlite 110
Mac Carson ..... 108 Dashing 108
Sir Ronald ..... 108 Sunset Lane 108
Sir Rodney ..... 108 Colleen 108
Speed ..... 108 Sir Glory 108

FIFTH RACE—Six furlongs.
Sunset Lane ..... 112 Lady Blaine 112
Sugar Cracker ..... 107 Aurelia 107
Sally Wells ..... 107 Sir Ronald 107
Jack Spratt ..... 107 Mac Carson 107
Sir Fairway 107

SIXTH RACE—Six furlongs.
Sunset Lane ..... 112 Sir Ronald 112
Sugar Cracker ..... 107 Lexington 107
Sally Wells ..... 107 Sir Fairway 107
Hesperus ..... 107 Sir Glory 107
Tiger Tim ..... 107 Sally Fire 107
Thousand Kisses ..... 107 Wildwood 107
First race 11 a.m.

Gelardi's Selections

SUFFOLK DOWNS

1. Pamlot, Arkley, Sir Rodney
2. American Lad, Pioneer, Delta V.
3. Sunset Lane, Lady Blaine, Speed
4. Sir Gallant, Sir Fairway, Sir Ronald
5. Jubba, Lullaby, Irish Wash
6. Sun Call, Sir Ronald, Sir Byrne
7. Top Honors, Finisher, Billy Party, Leadership, Minerva, Wildwight.

BEST BET—GIRCELL

AT VANFORAN

1 Mon-O-Sabre, Bulldozer, Brown Jewel
2 Aid-A-Bet, Pine Ridge, Class Among
3 Sir Ronald, Sunset Lane, Sally Fire
4 Bill Bennett, Sweet Jane, War Knot
5 Sugar Baby, Fancy Dash, Wire Mesh
6 Sir Ronald, Fairhaven, Sunset Lane
7 Make Up Well, Hesperious, Sweet Jane, Sally Fire
8 Sun Cabler, Mac, Crouch Pick

BEST BET—PLUARTS

Golf—Here's How

By SAM SNEAD
Golf's Greatest Player-Teacher

Today's golfer has the ball positioned well forward of centre, as it should be for a wood club or a straight faced iron. With the iron I iron you should position the ball off the centre between the two heels. Then for clubs with lofted faces, move the ball left from centre about half an inch for a No. 4 iron, about an inch for a No. 5 iron, about an inch and a half for a No. 7 iron and about two inches for a No. 1 iron. The reverse is true with the more lofted clubs. Position the ball about half an inch to the right of centre for a No. 4 iron, about an inch right of centre for a No. 7 iron and so on up to the No. 9. The reason is that with the straighter faced clubs impact with the ball should come just after it has passed the low of its arc during the swing. With more lofted irons the impact should occur just before the clubhead has reached the low of its arc.

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Heavy Penalty For Detective

DETROIT, April 27 (AP).—Detective Donald E. Pace, who took Detroit Second Baseman Gerry Priddy on a round of night spots following the opening American League game here, was refined to patrolman yesterday and suspended for 30 days without pay

Priddy was fined an unannounced sum by Manager Red Rolfe for breaking a midnight curfew. He was 40 minutes overdue.

Pace pleaded guilty before a trial board to drinking liquor, allowing a civilian to ride in a police car, and taking car from headquarters without permission.

O.C. Soccer

LONDON, April 27 (Reuters).—Results of football matches played tonight:

ENGLISH LEAGUE

DIVISION ONE SOUTHERN

Notts County 3, Sheffield United Two 4.

DIVISION ONE NORTHERN

Burnley 2, Blackpool Crosby 1.

FRIENDLY MATCH

Hull City 4, Crewe 3.

Remember When..

The great Steve Donoghue, popular English jockey, then 20 years old, crowned his last season of racing 15 years ago today by winning the Oaks Thousand Guineas for the first time. Donoghue was already six times a Derby winner.

Happy Day "Best Coach" in Business, Will Get Promotion With Leafs

TORONTO, April 27 (CP).—Happy Day, whose front moniker is Clarence and who has piloted Toronto Maple Leafs of the National Hockey League to five Stanley Cup triumphs since he took over as coach in 1934, is on his way in the Leafs' organization ladder. It probably won't happen for a year or two and it won't be a "kick upstairs."

That's the word from managing director George Dudley, who fashioned newspaper and radio men in the Gardens office, giving pro hockey a last dying lick before the sports pages devote most of their space to baseball and other season sports. And Conroy, in an expansive mood throughout his 30-minute ball session, dropped some tid-bits into the writers' laps.

TO GET PROMOTION

"Happy is the best coach in the business, and I'd hate to have a rumor going around that he is on his way out or is being kicked upstairs," Smythe said. "We have an understanding and when the time comes, it will be a promotion. He will take a big load off my shoulders."

Smythe said he would recommend to the Leaf board of directors that Day be signed to a two-year contract as coach, giving the club the option of promoting him. He indicated the 46-year-old coach would be his assistant.

Probable successor to Day would be Joe Primeau of the Leafs' famous "kid line" of Primeau, Charlie Conacher and Harvey Jackson in the late 20s now a coaching Toronto senior Marlboro, farm club of the Leafs.

"Joe is in line if he is interested," Smythe said.

Smythe also made these points:

SIGN WITH LEAFS

1 Hugh Boston, University of Toronto engineering student and defenceman with Marlboro Seniors, will fill a Leaf vearguard spot next year.

2. Danny Lewicki, the Fort William, Ont., 6-foot kid, also with Marlboro Seniors, will be given a chance at left wing alongside Max Bentley, the dipsy-doodle centre from Delisle, Sask.

3. George Armstrong, who made the jump from junior to senior company with his linemate Lewicki, will be given a chance to make the Leafs, but "he has a lot to learn."

4. Turk (The Bulge) Broda, probably would share goal-keeping chores with Al Rollins, bought as insurance from Cleveland of the American League last year during the new-familiar battle of Broda's bulge when he was ordered to cut his weight from 197 to 190 "or else."

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5. Ticket prices probably will be increased next year "so that we can help amateur clubs with the 15 per cent tax that has been put on their tickets by the Ontario Government."

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1 BIRTHS

GILCHRIST—Born on 8th and Mrs. Robert Gilchrist, of 2841 Bryant Street, a son, Robert (Kenneth), at the Royal Jubilee Hospital, Tuesday, April 25, 1950.

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SMITH—Born to Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Smith, of 2611 Bryant Street, a daughter, on Thursday, April 27, 1950, at the Jubilee Hospital.

2 MARRIAGES

LAM-JOHN—The marriage of Doris John, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest John, 1750 Beacon Avenue, to Dick Lam, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lam Ngan Pui, of Victoria, took place at the home of the groom's father, Rev. Mr. Lam, officiating. Mr. and Mrs. G. Wilson officiating, April 26, 1950.

3 DEATHS

ANDREWS—Beth Robert Percy Cardinal, beloved wife of Percy Andrews, passed on April 26, 1950, at her residence, 2 Bing's Employees' Residence, Dentres, B.C. Late of 1150 Burnside Road, Victoria, B.C. Survived by her husband, Percy Andrews, (Bing's Employee), daughter Vicky and son Denis, also his parents, of Victoria, B.C. Funeral service in Harvey's B.C. Funeral Chapel, Duncan, B.C., on Friday, April 28, 1950, at 2 p.m. Rev. Canon M. Jones officiating. Interment Duncan, B.C., in Garden of Remembrance.

DRAVILLE—Suddenly on April 26, 1950, at the residence, 1176 Beaconsfield Avenue, Minnie Louise Draville, aged 86, widow of the late Thomas Draville. Born in Maine, United States, and a resident of Victoria for the years she lived where she died. Mrs. Draville, of Victoria, B.C. Funeral service on Saturday, April 29, 1950, at 2 p.m. Rev. Canon M. Jones officiating. Interment Ross Bay Cemetery.

DUNCAN—Passed away suddenly at his residence, 1150 Burnside Road, Victoria, on April 24, 1950, Wm. Jack Duncan, aged 51 years; born in Dundee, and a resident of Victoria for the past 30 months, formerly of Montreal, P.Q. Survived by his wife, Mrs. M. E. Duncan of Victoria; son, Pte. Wm. Duncan was a member of the Royal Canadian Regiment, Korea. Funeral service will be held on Friday, May 5, Wednesday, B.C.

Funeral service under the auspices of the Bonds Mortuary Ltd., on Friday, April 28, 1950, at 2 p.m. Rev. Canon A. E. Greenhough officiating. Interment in Colwood Cemetery.

FIDLER—In Victoria, on April 26, 1950, Alexis Beatrice Rodgers, of Colwood, beloved wife of Ernest Fidler, of 1150 Hillside Avenue, in her 34th year, in Victoria, and a resident of Victoria for the past 34 years. Born in Victoria, of Rodgers family. Mrs. E. Fidler (Beatrice), Mrs. J. B. McCallum (Edith), Mrs. Ernest Fidler, sisters, all of Victoria, and Mrs. Ernest Fidler (Grace), of Bend, Ore., also three nieces and nephews, Victoria and Bend. Funeral service will be held on Friday, April 28, 1950, at 2 p.m. Rev. Canon Alexander Greenhough, of Victoria, officiating. Interment in Colwood Cemetery.

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War Amputees Meet in City For Reunion

Nearly 200 members and guests attended the annual reunion dinner of the Victoria branch of the War Amputations of Canada, Thursday night.

Packing the Century Room of the Monterey Restaurant, they dined, were entertained by a floor show and finally ended the evening by dancing.

At the head table were Honorary President Mrs. Walter Nichol and members of the executive and their wives.

ENTERTAINED

They were entertained by Joe Dubes singing, Len Foster, Harringer and the antics of comedian Stan James and his "horse."

Two B.C. Government movies were shown by Dick Colby and Clarence Perrin, of the Government Travel Bureau.

E. H. King presided at the dinner.

How It Started

By JEAN NEWTON

THAT WORD "MOB"

Alexander Pope wrote of "The mob of gentlemen who write with ease." A mob of gentlemen seems something of a paradox, for one thinks of a mob as a crowd on the very roughest level, to which the word "gentlemen" in any sense would hardly be applied. This leads one then, to wonder if "mob" started with a better meaning than its present connotation, if the mob that is a rough, unruly crowd represents a corruption of this word.

Actually, "mob" started as a more contemptuous characterization than it is today. It is a contraction of the Latin "mobile vulgus," literally the "movable common people." It stood quite plainly for the populace in the sense of the lowest segment of the population, whence the sense of "rabble". Pope's use of it watered down to the idea of the numerous persons—a crowd—and his allusion to the "mob" of gentlemen retained only a mild reminder of the disorderliness or unsteadiness which the term originally characterized.

At one time, "mobile vulgus" or movable crowd came to signify the idea of "the fickle crowd," in which it has had considerable usage by politicians and others whose continued success depended upon the loyalty of the public. Thus "mob" is a term of many dimensions than the bit of modern slang that one of our residents thought it to be. It exemplifies again that you never can tell, about words.

(Released by Key Syndicate, Inc.)

B.C. Coal Output Drops in March

Coal production in British Columbia during March dropped by 10,000 tons compared to the same month last year, Mines Minister R. C. MacDonald reported yesterday.

Production for the province during March was 179,346 short tons as compared with 189,664 last year.

Vancouver Island production at 61,382 tons was down 4,000 tons from March of last year.

Slips on Lettuce, Awarded $1,100

TORONTO, April 27 (CP) — Mrs. Lenta L. Parker was awarded $1,100 damages yesterday for injuries received when she slipped on a piece of wet lettuce in a groceteria (Loblaw's). She suffered a fractured bone in her foot and a sprained thumb. She asked $2,200 damages but the court ruled she was partly to blame.

Canadian Legion lineup for tomorrow's soccer match against Victoria Alros at Macdonald Park at 3:30 p.m. follows: Coles, Constable, Davison, Hardy, Pallon, McCormick, Main, Morgan, Moss, Pearce, Potter, Sims, Robbins and Waring.

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Sunrise and Sunset

APRIL

(Time of sunrise and sunset (Pacific Standard Time) for Victoria, B.C., for the month of April, 1950.)

Date	Sun-rise	Sun-set	Date	Sun-rise	Sun-set
1	5.56	6.52	16	5.25	7.04
2	5.54	6.54	17	5.23	7.06
3	5.52	6.56	18	5.21	7.08
4	5.50	6.58	19	5.19	7.09
5	5.48	6.59	20	5.17	7.11
6	5.46	7.01	21	5.15	7.13
7	5.44	7.03	22	5.13	7.15
8	5.42	7.05	23	5.11	7.17
9	5.40	7.07	24	5.09	7.19
10	5.38	7.09	25	5.07	7.21
11	5.36	7.11	26	5.05	7.23
12	5.34	7.13	27	5.03	7.25
13	5.32	7.15	28	5.01	7.27
14	5.30	7.17	29	4.59	7.29
15	5.28	7.19	30	4.57	7.31
			31	4.56	7.33

Meteorological Office, Observatory Hospital, Victoria, B.C.

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Change of Date From May 3 to April 29 At 1:30 P.M.

Having received instructions from Mr. R. O. Bullen, Sooke Lake Road, south end of Shawnigan Lake, I will sell the following: 12 head of registered dairyman's Cows, all in full milk, giving from 30 to 50 pounds, consisting of Jersey, Holstein and Ayrshire crosses; three 14 to 16-month-old Heifers; five 3 to 5-month-old Heifers; 1 reg. Jersey Bull, "Forest Glen "Standard Royalist"; single unit Burpee Milking Machine, Milk Cooler, 11 ten-gallon milk cans, 6 8-gallon cans and 3 5-gallon cans, 1 Farm All-Super "A" Tractor complete with plough, and disk power take-off and hydraulic lift, 'up model; small Husky Garden Tractor, 3-h.p. air-cooled motor; 11-rub Massey-Harris seed drill; No. 21 Massey-Harris Mower, Massey-Harris Hay Rake, 3 Drag Harrows and Hay Fork and Track. Other small articles too numerous to mention.

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THERE OUGHTA BE A LAW!

By Fagaly and Shorten

New Phones This Year Total 500

Are you one of those unfortunate householders who are still waiting for a telephone?

B.C. Telephone Company officials announced yesterday that 500 new telephones were installed during the first two months this year bringing the total now in operation in Victoria to 31,081.

However, there are 3,200 subscribers still waiting for a phone in the Greater Victoria area.

EQUIPMENT SHORTAGE

Company officials blamed shortage of equipment relative to the demand as the reason they cannot catch up with back orders.

Telephone cable was called the main reason for the delay. Officials state there is an ample supply of telephone instruments but getting the cable is the big problem.

However, there is a $85,000 order due to arrive around September 1. It should be installed early in 1951.

Says Lethbridge To Seek Crown

CALGARY, April 27 (CP). — The Albertan says in a sport page story that Lethbridge Maple Leafs have tentatively been offered the chance to represent Canada in next year's world hockey championships.

Leafs won the Western Canada Intercollegiate championship this year in a best-of-seven series with Melville Millionaires that was extended to eight games.

Judge Delays Ruling In Noronic Legal Suits

CLEVELAND, April 27 (CP).—Federal Judge Paul Jones has put off ruling on whether United States or Canadian law shall apply in trying damage suits arising from the Noronic disaster.

He held yesterday the questuo will be decided when the court hears the Canada Steamship Company's plea that damages be limited to $466,659 under Canadian law.

The Noronic burned at her pier in Toronto last September with the loss of 118 lives.

MUNDFORD, Norfolk, England (CP) —A stone hand-mill dating back to 800 B.C. has been unearthed here.

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Group Suspends Bantam King, Manuel Ortiz

WASHINGTON, April 27 (AP)—Manuel Ortiz, world bantamweight champion, was suspended today by the National Boxing Association.

The N.B.A. said the suspension would be in effect until Ortiz fulfills a contract to box for promoter Jack Solomons of London.

The N.B.A. took the action, Commissioner Abe Green said, at the request of the British Boxing Board of Control.

The B.B.B.C. claims that Ortiz had agreed by cabegram to defend his title in London against Danny O'Sullivan.

Instead Ortiz decided to fight Vic Toweel in Johannesburg, South Africa, May 20

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Admiral States Sioux and Cayuga Will Cruise to Ireland in Autumn

Marine News

By RAY WORMALD

Units of the Royal Canadian Navy — including the destroyers Cayuga and Sioux from Esquimalt—are slated to conduct a training cruise which will take them to Londonderry, Northern Ireland, this Autumn. Ships from the East Coast taking part in the exercise will be the destroyers Micmac and Huron, and the carrier Magnificent.

This was announced yesterday in a press interview with Vice-Admiral Harold T. Onslow, C.B.E., D.S.O., chief of naval staff—here on a four-day inspection of naval ships and shore establishments of this area.

In waters off Northern Ireland the Canadian ships will exercise with units of the Royal Navy, the Admiral said, and "emphasis will be placed on co-operation between surface craft and aviation."

He also said that consideration was being given to a proposal that units of the Canadian fleet visit various North Atlantic Pact nations of Western Europe following completion of the Londonderry exercise. Nations included are Denmark, France, Holland and Belgium.

HOPES

In the course of his press conference Admiral Onslow gave the following information in answer to reporters' questions:

Manpower strength of the RCN was up to its designated strength of 9,800 men; with regard to the North Atlantic Pact, the Royal Canadian Navy's primary responsibility was anti-submarine activities, the protect Coast Guard service for Canada was a Federal Government matter, there was little likelihood of the carrier Magnificent coming to this coast for some time; the Royal Canadian Navy was "hoping" that it may may come when it would have its own submarine program at the present time such a venture would be too costly, offshore and men of the navy were "settling down" after changes and numerous reshuffles which followed the war; said that "everything is quite satisfactory within the RCN. at the present time."

TREND

He said plans were being completed for three new anti-submarine escort vessels, for which contracts have already been let, and that work on them would probably get under way early next year.

In building new ships for the navy, Admiral Onslow explained, there was a definite trend toward "standardization" with United States forces. It was hoped, he added, there would some day be a general standardization of United States, British and Canadian naval vessels and equipment.

Asked about the cruiser Uganda, now in the reserve fleet, the Admiral said it was not likely that ship would be recommissioned for some time yet.

The chief of naval staff visited Lieutenant-Governor Charles A. Banks, Mayor Percy George and other dignitaries yesterday and this morning will inspect H.M.C. Dockyard and H.M.C.S. Cayuga. This afternoon he will present the main address at graduation ceremonies at the Canadian Services College, Royal Roads, and also distribute various prizes and awards.

A first-class mooring buoy with a fourth-class mooring painted yellow and marked "R.C.N. Vessels Only" has been established in Bedwell Harbor, Swanson Channel, in position 120 degrees true, two cables distant from Skull Island—Latitude 48 degrees, 48 minutes North, Longitude 123 degrees and 14 minutes West.

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LIST READY

The 1950 edition of "List of Lights and Fog Signals on the Pacific Coast and Rivers and Lakes of British Columbia" is now ready for distribution.

Copies may be obtained from the King's Printer, Printing Bureau, Ottawa, for 15 cents each. Postal or express money orders, as payment for the copies, should be made payable to the Receiver-General of Canada.

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LAKEMBA DUE

The big combination cargo-passenger ship m. Lakemba, operated between the British Columbia coast and Australia, is slated to reach the Outer Wharf plant of Y.M.D. about 9 a.m. today to have a total of 70 two-cabin suite installed.

It is expected the ship will be here only two weeks. The cabins have been prefabricated, and are ready for fast installation and completion, H. S. Hemmill, general manager of Y.M.D., reports workmen of the plant will be busy day and night until the job is finished.

Owned and operated by B.C. Ship Chartering Co. Ltd. (subsidiary of W. R. Carpenter, Canada, Ltd.), the Lakemba is not a stranger to this port. As a Royal Navy maintenance ship she was here several years ago to undergo the large conversion to her present status. The job was handled by Y.M.D.

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ALL SEE THINGS

Vice-Admiral Harold T. W. Grant, chief of naval staff, doesn't believe in "flying saucers."

He was asked for his personal opinion on the "mysterious objects" in the course of an interview yesterday morning and laughed it off by replying "I guess we all see things' at some time or another . . . and I can say for sure we aren't flying them off our carrier." (The carrier being Canada's H.M.C.S. Magnificent, stationed on the East Coast.)

HOLLYPORT, Berkshire, England CP—Residents of Cubbage Stump Lane have seen the name changed.

Wife Takes Turn Diving

Mrs. Margaret Smedley, 1447 Taunton Street, isn't overly impressed with Davy Jones' Locker.

Along with her husband, she is employed by City Construction Co. Ltd. of Vancouver, which is now winding up a major improvement project at Ogden Point Docks. As that work progressed, services of divers were constantly required, and in the course of watching them go about their work, Mrs. Smedley developed an urge to submerge.

She wondered what it would be like to don a diver's rig, be lowered into the sea, and take a look around.

Her chance came a couple of days ago. Wearing a 185-pound diver's suit and all the associate gear, the 38-year-old would-be adventuress descended into the sea at a point along the docks' concrete seawalls.

"All I saw was a solid green wall," she said after the experience. She admitted being "a little nervous" on the way down. "But it was all right once I was below the surface." Veteran diver Jack Dalley stood by to direct operations.

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EYE INSTALLED

Several ships have had their bows or sterns pinched by the big lock gates in the Panama Canal, so authorities are installing an electric eye to keep the gates from slamming shut too soon.

At least three ships have been caught this way in the last year. Authorities attribute the trouble to judgment errors by the gate operators.

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SPEEDBOAT RACES

What will undoubtedly be the most exciting boating event of the year for Victoria will take place July 1 in waters at the Esquimalt Lagoon.

Officials of the Victoria Inboard and Outboard Association—of which Robert Watson is commodore—reported yesterday plans were under way to hold speedboat races on that date at that location. Fast craft from cities and ports of the entire Pacific Northwest will be competing for the Pacific Northwest championship. Many entries are expected from the United States.

The event will be the first of its kind locally since prewar years, with full details to be announced shortly.

This week, the Royal Canadian Navy, owners of the lagoon waterway, extended permission for use of the area for the speedboat contest. The location offers ideal view for many hundreds of people and the races will be easily seen from cars parked along the shoreline.

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MARINER ADVICE

Tom Morrison, local Transport Department agent, yesterday issued the following notices to mariners:

Depth charge firing practice will be carried out by units of the Royal Canadian Navy in the Strait of Juan de Fuca today, between 8 a.m. and 4 p.m. The area in which the practice will be conducted is approximately two and a half miles southwest of Race Rocks.

Hearings Over In Union Fight For Trail Men

No further hearings will be held in connection with the C.I.O.-C.C.L. United Steel Workers' disputed application for certification for 4,000 Trail smelter workers, now held by the disaffiliated International Union of Mine, Mill and Smelter Workers.

This was confirmed yesterday by a Labor Relations Board spokesman following a board meeting.

Remaining item to be considered by the board before it reaches a decision is a written argument being submitted by the Mine, Mill union, he added.

Several labor board hearings in connection with the dispute have been held both here and in Vancouver.

Final hearing, marked by the appearance of Tom Harris, assistant general counsel for both the steel union and the C.I.O. at Washington, D.C., was held Tuesday at board offices.

VOTE AGREEABLE

Steel union representatives have stated that they are agreeable to the issue being decided by a vote among the workers.

Main objections of Mine, Mill have been that the steel union constitution does not cover workers in non-ferrous industry such as that at Trail and that the union collected no initiation fees or dues from new members and produced no minutes of meetings indicating that new members were "obligated" of sworn in, as required by the L.C.A. Act.

Steel union representatives have contended in reply that dispensation of dues and fees and authority to organize were granted by C.I.O. and steel president Philip Murray.

Mine, Mill has continued to oppose deciding of the issue by vote, on grounds that it would be an admission of the steel union's jurisdictional rights in the area.

U.S. Delegates to Attend "Y" Assembly Prepared For Two-Day Convention

The Pacific Northwest Area Y.M.C.A. Young Adult Assembly will meet at Brenta Lodge, Brentwood on Saturday for a two-day convention it was announced yesterday by Robert Morrison, program director of the local "Y".

More than 175 delegates representing 13 associations will attend the convention.

Theme of the convention is "Road to Maturity," and will open with an address by W. C. Mearns, chairman of the program committee of the Victoria "Y".

TO DEAL WITH PROBLEMS

Following the opening remarks, E. O. Jones, professor of psychology at Victoria College, will address the group on the subject "As the Twig Bent." The address will deal with youth and their problems.

Rev. William Hills will speak at 4:30 p.m. on "The Relevance of the Gospel for an Atomic Age." Evening speaker will be Reinars J. Radins of the Seattle Y.M.C.A. and formally with the "Y" staff in Latvia. His subject will be "Challenge of Communism to Christianity."

WORKSHOP SESSIONS

The delegates will conduct workshop sessions dealing with the problems of young people and the Y.M.C.A. program.

Chairman of the assembly will be Miss Florence Osharson of Vancouver. Carl Melander of Seattle will summarize the conference and act as resource leader.

The assembly is an annual affair and is held one year in the United States and the next year in Canada. This will be the second time it has been held in Victoria in the past three years.

Will Address Veterans Here

Addressing the quarterly meeting of the provincial command of the Army, Navy and Air Force Veterans here Saturday will be Dominion president, A. J. Wickens, K.C., Moose Jaw, and vice-president Sydney Baldwin of Calgary.

Mr. Wickens and Mr. Baldwin will arrive here Saturday morning and will visit the new club building at Sidney Saturday afternoon.

More than 100 delegates are expected to attend the meeting.

AIRLEAGY DONE

SEVEN KINGS, Essex, England (CP).—When a tobacconist arrived at his shop to open it one morning recently he found a truck had mounted the sidewalk and broken down the door.

COLOR TRAVEL FILMS TONIGHT

By GEORGE WILLIS

Tonight at 8 p.m. of the Prince Robert House, I will show more of my color travel films, starting from Victoria with all its attractive beauty of homes and gardens, parades and social events, then to Vancouver by Trans-Canada Air Lines, a cruise f look over the Gulf Islands in an ex-army plane, and a gorgeous flight by Western Airlines over Mount Shasta to San Francisco.

The showing of Vancouver Million Dollar Parade and Exhibition in full swing, a magnificent show. In conclusion the Portland Rose Festival and Pasadena Festival parades. Calgary Stampede Tickets at the door or at the Western Canada Travel Service, 602 Courtney Street, between the Post Office and Bus Depot.

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Malcolm Funeral Services Will Be Held Tomorrow

Funeral services for John Manson Malcolm, 84, pioneer Victoria contractor and Saanich farmer who died yesterday at Rest Haven Hospital, Sidney, will be held at 1:30 p.m., Saturday from Band's Chapel of Chimes.

A former president of the Victoria Builders' Exchange, Mr. Malcolm was born in Clova, District of Cornhoy, Caithness, Scotland, 28 1866.

FOR U.K. GOVERNMENT

He came to Victoria in 1887, where he supervised construction of Navy barracks and walls at Esquimalt for the British Government.

Other landmarks Mr. Malcolm leaves behind him includes Victoria High School and a number of stores and buildings in the Victoria area.

A resident of the city until 1918 he then moved to Mount Newton Crossroad, where he lived until his death.

PIONEERS' PRESIDENT

He was president of the Saanich Pioneers Society, honorary president of the North and South Saanich Agricultural Association, and Past Grand Master of Columbia Lodge, No. 2, I.O.O.F.

Predeceased by his wife the former Emma Simpson of Saanich, in 1946, Mr. Malcolm is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Albert Doney, Saanichton, and Mrs. J. A. Brackett, Comox; a son, George Malcolm Comox, seven grandchildren, and four great-grandchildren.

Boer War Took Back Seat

Costly Hull-Ottawa Fire Top News Fifty Years Ago

Fifty years ago this morning, news of one of Canada's greatest fire disasters crowded the Boer War almost off The Daily Colonist's front page.

The fire was the $200,000 Ottawa-Hull blaze, which swept five square miles and demolished some 3,500 homes, factories, mills, stores and churches leaving ten dead and 15,000 homeless.

SWEPT ACROSS RIVER

Fire broke out in Hull at 11 a.m. Thursday, April 28, 1900 and rode a 60-mile gale across the Ottawa River to Ottawa proper. It swept a mile and a half west and south. Fire fighters and equipment were rushed to the stricken city from Montreal, Brockville, Peterborough, Toronto and Hamilton.

Hundreds of thousands of dollars for fire relief poured in, including $100,000 from the Dominion Government, $25,000 from Ontario and thousands more from bank-companies and private citizens.

GIVES $50 CHEQUE

A Victoria firm has donated a cheque for $50 to the expenses of the May 24 celebrations.

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Finance Minister Presents Trophy to Top Team

Photo by Paul Devins

Shown is winning team in Provincial Finance Department Bowling League, which competes for cup donated by Finance Minister Herbert Anscomb. Above, Mr. Anscomb (left) is seen presenting cup to Miss Pat Robertson, captain. Others are O. McElmoyl, Miss Bette Moore, Miss E. Mackay and F. Grealy.

Announcements

Arts Centre of Greater Victoria, 625 Broughton Street. A very special exhibit from the Toronto Art Gallery, "The Painter's Art in Layman's Language." On only this week important that everyone views it. The equivalent of 30 lectures. Sketches and descriptions of pictures building and design and some of the finest examples of paintings by prominent Canadian Artists. Gallery hours 11 to 9.30 and Saturday evenings. Public 30c, members and students free.

Mrs. Wayman, formerly of La France Beauty Salon, has returned to La France Beauty Salon from London, England, where she took an extensive course in machineless permanent waving with the Eugene Academy of Permanent Waving, London, England. Mrs. Wayman is also a "Zotos" technician, so please phone her at La France Beauty Salon, G 7443, 715 View Street.

Women's Canadian Club, Tuesday, May 2. Empress Ballroom, 3.45 p.m. Speaker: Hon. Adrian Roberts, K.C., High Commissioner for South Africa. Subject: "South African Problems." Tickets for the tea on May 9 will be on sale at the meeting and also at Fletcher's May 8 and 9.

Beer by the Glass will be had for everyone except the beer parlors Register now and vote "NO" May 30. Help fight beer by sending contributions to Victoria Citizens' Association, Room 14, 740 Broughton. B 6422. Official receipt will be mailed.

Olde England Inn invites you to listen to CJOR (800), Vancouver, this afternoon, 1:00-1:30. Program designed for women featuring Victoria's Olde England Inn. Olde England Inn also presents every Friday, 7:45 p.m. "Music for Romance," CKDA (1340).

"South Africa and Its Problems." Public meeting to be addressed by Hon. Adrian Roberts, High Commissioner of South Africa. Prince Robert House, Saturday, April 29, 8 to 9 p.m. Admission 25c. United Nations Association.

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The Canadian Anti-Vivisection Society will hold a tea and a sale at the Y.W.C.A. on Saturday, April 29, from 1 to 6. Half of proceeds to be given to Dora Kittle Memorial Fund. Tea, 25c.

The Victoria Welsh Society will hold their regular monthly meeting in the Hard of Hearing Hall, Douglas Street, Friday, April 28, at 8 p.m. A good program has been arranged.

Don't Forget the Vancouver Island Dog Fanciers big championship dog show at the Club Bureau, 1037 View Street, Saturday, May 6. All day and evening, come and see your favorite breed.

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The Eastern Star Choir will give a concert in the St. Luke's Parish Hall on Friday, April 28, at 8 p.m. Tickets 50c. Under the auspices of the St. Luke's Parish Guild.

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Ladies' Auxiliary, Britannia Branch No. 7, Canadian Legion, social evening, tonight, at 8 p.m. Door prize. Admission 25c.

Rummage Sale, Saturday, April 29, 8 a.m., at St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, Broughton Street.

Rummage Sale, Memorial Hall, behind Christ Church Cathedral, Friday, May 5, 9.30 a.m.

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TEA DRINKING UP

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S.P.C.A. tombola prize numbers: 262, 360, 631, 255. Phone B 2271, after 6 o'clock.

Y.M.C.A. Ladies' Auxiliary tea and linen shower, May 4, 8 p.m., Y.M.C.A. building. Musical program.

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Mass School Bands and Orchestras Please Audience With Varied Concert

Student musicians put on a fine performance Thursday night during the third annual concert of Greater Victoria school orchestras and bands at Victoria High School.

It was the first of a two-night performance.

All ages and sizes were represented as the junior musicians showed their way through a varied musical program.

The combined bands of Saanich, Victoria and Esquimalt schools started the program off with "The Standard of St. George" selections from Gilbert and Sullivan and a waltz, "L'Estudiantina."

BRASS QUARTETTE

A brass quartette composed of Clifford Haslam, Stanley Sage, William Fry and Alan Grant, played "Andante Cantabile" from Tschaikowsky's Fifth Symphony.

"The Merry Widow" and "The Riff Chorus" from Romberg's "Desert Song" preceed the 12-piece Victoria High School orchestra showing with "Marche Slav" by Tschaikowsky.

The Victoria High School group rounded well-rehearsed and sure of themselves. They were conducted by Norma Douglas.

The summer orchestras and string classes of the Greater Victoria Schools played three selections and were followed by the combined bands in two march numbers, a comedy sketch and other selections.

Although some of the students were so small that their instruments nearly dwarfed them, the audience agreed that the whole performance was a job well done.

REPEAT PERFORMANCE

Nearly 125 students took part. The groups will perform again tonight at 8 p.m.

On concert committee are H. J. Bizzey, supervisor of music; J. F. K. English, chairman; J. Gough, Arnold Trevett, trustees, and W. B. Dickinson, secretary-treasurer.

Band conductors were R. J. Bigby, Esquimalt group, H. E. Grant, Victoria group, and J. P. Tamblyn, Saanich group. O. S. Rowe, Oak Bay High School, and Norma Douglas, Victoria High School, conducted the orchestras and string classes were in charge of Miss Douglas and Mr. Bowey.

Conditions Set For Sentence

Barbara Campbell, 19-year-old Campbell River girl, yesterday was given a suspended sentence on two charges of obtaining money and merchandise by means of worthless cheques.

She pleaded guilty to the charges last week before Magistrate H. C. Hall in city police court.

Under conditions laid down by the magistrate the girl must post a $500 bond to guarantee her good behavior, return to her home and not leave it again without the consent of her father and the probation officer. She must also report to the probation officer monthly for a year.

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Ratepayers Go to Polls In Decision Over School

PARKSVILLE, April 27.—About 1 800 ratepayers of Qualicum School district No. 69, which takes in the area between Deep Bay and Hammond Bay, will go to the polls Friday to vote on a money-by-law to provide a $350,000 consolidated junior-senior high school at Qualicum Beach.

Also included in the by-law are appropriations for repairs and additions to school buildings, $13,865, new school sites at Qualicum and Parksville, $5,000, a new two-room school at Nanoose, $26,500, furnitures and equipment for schools, $33,000, and other requirements $72,500, making a total expenditure of $454,365.

POSTERS IN SHOPS

Vigorous campaigns both for and against the by-law have been waged during the past few weeks, and posters are evident along the roadside and in the windows of business premises.

On the affirmative side the school board has been urging progress in education, asking taxpayers if the district was to lag behind other communities. The committee for the school by-law, following up the school board campaign, stressed need of the best for the children, despite cost, and pointed out that even the proposed large school would be inadequate in five years' time.

CITE HIGH COSTS

The negative campaign has been conducted by the Parksville and District Chamber of Commerce School Action Committee. Members stressed need of a halt to the by-law as a compromise might be reached later, pointing out high costs of building at present. As examples of education costs in other districts for 60-mill rate at Alberni was cited, also high taxes at Ladysmith and other centres in British Columbia which were protesting against increased costs of educational facilities.

Meetings held by the School Action Committee during the week ended with one at Bowser where an orderly crowd heard the negative side of the question explained by Dr. T. W. Rutherford and Parksville School Trustees Eric Winch and Fred Wilimore, with J. B. Washington as chairman.

PLAN TWO SCHOOLS

A two-school plan suggested in the Parksville trustees was outlined, and ratepayers urged to think carefully before voting as there could be no guarantee that the tax rate would not rise above the ceiling of 3 mills if the by-law went through.

A letter from the deputy minister of education read by Trustee Winch stated there could be no definite ruling on limitations for education costs.

Trustee Phillip Experman stated that two schools could certainly not be built at Parksville as one only by equipping many facilities necessary for education. He said he would personally go on record as believing that if the by-law were defeated the tax rate would increase in the district.

Honor Players At Ladysmith

LADYSMITH, April 27.—Junior-Senior High School students and members filled the assembly room to capacity to witness the presentation of prizes and awards won by contestants.

Wilfred C. Jones, chairman, called upon Miss Britta Tranfield, drama teacher, who presented a certificate of merit won at the Errington Drama Festival to Sylvia Graaf, the best girl actor, for her performance as Elizabeth in "Dark Berenthal."

An award for the best boy actor went to Gerald Pollock, who played Archie Clark in "The Red Lamp."

The three successful contestants in the cancer prevention essay competition were Jessie Mantle, Gerald Savery and Anna Turkiewich. Mrs. May Armstrong, chairman of the local Cancer Society, presented each with a cheque for $3 on behalf of the B.C. Cancer Society.

Debate Offers For New Issue

LADYSMITH, April 27.—Seven tenders for debentures amounting to $148,000, required for the construction of new schools, were dealt with in committee by trustees of Ladysmith School District No. 67.

Trustees William Petrie, W. H. Olsen, Donald Wilson and Roy Chamberlin were authorized to call tenders for construction of a two-room school at Saltair.

A communication from Thomas B. McArvary, architect, stated that school plans had been forwarded to the Provincial Department of Education for approval.

MAY PURCHASE LAND

Trustee Wilson reported that an acre of land adjacent to Diamond School could be purchased for $1,800. The board decided to consider the matter.

Permission was granted Ladysmith High School to hold a field day on May 18. Elementary schools will stage sports on May 22.

Trustees Petrie, C. C. Jones and Chamberlin were appointed delegates to the B.C. School Trustees convention to be held at Victoria from October 3 to 8.

No Recordings Require Design For New Signs

NANAIMO, April 27.—The city council's request for transcribed travelogues on C.P.R. Vancouver-Nanaimo events has been turned down by the company. A company official said: "We have received complaints from people who have heard them on our other runs that the quiet and restful atmosphere of a sea voyage is given a fairground air."

CAMPBELL RIVER, April 27.—So many entries were received in a contest to produce a suitable design for an entrance sign to Campbell River that Village Commissioners were unable to select a winner at their meeting. They will continue to study the entries and announce their decision at the next meeting.

The clerk was instructed to write the B.C. Power Commission requesting it to clear before the fire season all debris and fallen trees left along side the highway and village roads when new light poles were installed last year.

The waterworks commission announced that the department was now in charge of the public works foreman, Percy B. Allan.

BUILD NEW MILL

Banks Brothers requested use of the new water system for a mill which is being built on the river bank at Campbellton. They offered to lay their own water pipe from the village main to the mill. The matter will be considered.

The clerk was instructed to write Fire Chief Oscar Thulin and ask this department to include protection of the garbage dump in fire duties. The Fire Prosecution Association and British Columbia Forest Service will be notified.

A special meeting has been called for Monday at which commissioners hope to complete wording of the garbage by-law and have it ready for its first reading. The clerk was delegated to attend a convention of municipal officers at Victoria on June 1.

Work On Land At Parksville

PARKSVILLE, April 27.—After considerable delay due to wet weather, the Provincial Government land clearing project got under way in Parksville district. The first cutting arrive here did some clearing on the ten-acre estate of Mr. and Mrs. Eric Dennison, and several acres have been brushed and bulldozed for J. Trenfield.

More outfits are moving in, and the problem is to find land dry enough to work on. Foreman of the first outfit is Charles Boyd, and Edward Stevenson is tractor operator. The Carlson Machine Shop, south of Parksville, is being used as headquarters.

MANY APPLICATIONS

Land clearing projects are to be undertaken in the area from Parksville to Courtenay. According to reports from the district agriculturist, Roy Wilkinson, there are enough applications from farmers to keep all the equipment busy throughout the season.

The program, started to encourage farmers to expand cultivation of land and work up higher standards of land production, is not operative. Last year the cost of clearing 459 acres on the Island averaged about $69 per acre to the farmer.

It costs around to $365, the farmer pays one-third cash and the balance in two annual payments. If it is up to 100, he pays half cash. If over that amount, cash in full must be paid.

Campbell River Opens Building

CAMPBELL RIVER, April 27.—Trustees of Campbell River School District No. 72 decided to declare Friday a holiday for students on the occasion of opening the new Campbell River School.

Main door of the building will be open at 1:30 p.m. and ceremonies will commence at 2 p.m. in the auditorium. Transportation will be available to residents of Iron River, Oyster Bay and Menzies Bay. Buses will leave those points at 1 p.m. returning at 4 p.m.

The school board endorsed a resolution being circulated by B.C. Packers Ltd at Quathiaski Cove, urging the B.C. Power Commission to establish power on Quadra Island.

Change Charge In Motor Case

DUNCAN, April 27.—Arthur Booth, R.C.M., was released on $500 bail to naval authorities by Magistrate G. A. Tisdall in police court after a charge of assaulting a car was changed by order of the Attorney-General to a charge of unlawfully taking a car without the owner's consent. Booth was remanded to May 2.

George Allen was sentenced to serve two concurrent sentences of three months each on two charges of false pretences. He pleaded guilty to obtaining lodging at Troubalem House and obtaining money from Evans Motors, Duncan, by similar means. Allen faces other charges at Victoria and Vancouver.

Welcome Visitors

LADYSMITH, April 27.—Visitors' Day was celebrated by Ladysmith Club Park, led by James Pearse. Miss Louise Norcross, cabalistress of the First Duncan Pack of Cubs, taught the boys a new game called school relay. Refreshments were served by a committee led by Mrs Lewis Bliss, chairman of the Cub Mothers' Club.

Group at Harewood Holds Independence

NANAIMO, April 27.—Harewood Ratepayers' Association decided to will deal directly and only with the City Council in matters relating to city business.

It rejected overtures for arbitration of the question of boundary extension from the Nanaimo Ratepayers' Commission and from a group of other ratepayers of Harewood. Brechin and Nanaimo which recently raised for a public inquiry into all aspects of the question.

The Ratepayers' Association adopted a resolution asking that no steps be taken to extend the Nanaimo army camp as a jail.

A correct motion urging that Doukhobors be kept out of Nanaimo but when the foregoing amendment carried.

Ratepayers were called upon to turn out to force Saturday morning to assist in completion of the district swimming pool for which the women of Harewood have raised funds.

Pending further study, a request by Northfield for a protest against regulated area rules was tabled.

Weather Forecasts

East Coast of Vancouver Island—Cloudy, continuing cool. Wind, northwesterly 15 m.p.h.

West Coast of Vancouver Island—Few clouds, continuing cool. Winds northwesterly 15 m.p.h.

Hope to Avoid Board Session

PORT ALBERNI, April 27.—Negotiations between the I.W.A. and Bloedel Stewart & Welch, Ltd., are moving according to schedule. Proposals and evidence have been submitted by both parties. The points of bargaining and exchange of policies has now been reached. A definite statement on union and company policy should show this week-end.

The tone of the meetings show that both the company and the union are desirous of reaching a settlement without resorting to a conciliation board.

W. Allen, president of Local 1-80, I.W.A., and members of the district negotiating committee will return to Port Alberni at the week-end. They will give a full report on the major negotiations with Bloedel, Stewart & Welch, Ltd., Sunday at 2 p.m.

Bear Peers Out of Tree When Loggers Take Saw

CUMBERLAND, April 27.—Loggers are known for their tall tales of life in the woods, but no tale is taller than the one brought back from Parksville by three Cumberland lumberjacks, and they swear it is true.

It goes like way: The three, Robert Marshall, David Morgan and Alex Young, were out falling trees for the Northwest Bay Logging Company. They made an undercut on a big tree, knocked out the wedge and were just on the point of sawing it down when a bear poked his head out of the hole made by the undercut.

The men rubbed their eyes and took another look. Sure enough, the bear was still there, and looking pretty mad about having his Winter nap cut short.

Investigation disclosed that the log was hollow in its lower portion. Brain had scooped out an opening at the base of the tree and gone inside. Then he filled in the passageway he had made and settled down for the big sleep which was so rudely interrupted.

Big Producers

DUNCAN, April 27.—Two Vancouver Island Ayrshire cows recently completed the record of performance herd test plan, according to the Vancouver Island Ayrshire Club. Cloverbank Alice, a three-year-old cow owned by McBride & Stevenson, Cowichan Station, produced 10,800 pounds of milk with an average of 4.34 per cent butterfat.

Dawsondale Ramona, a two-year-old cow owned by H. Dawson & Son, Nanoose Bay, produced 9,774 pounds of milk with an average of 4.28 per cent butterfat.

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